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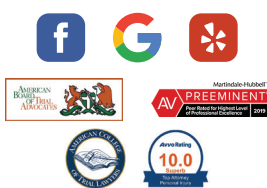
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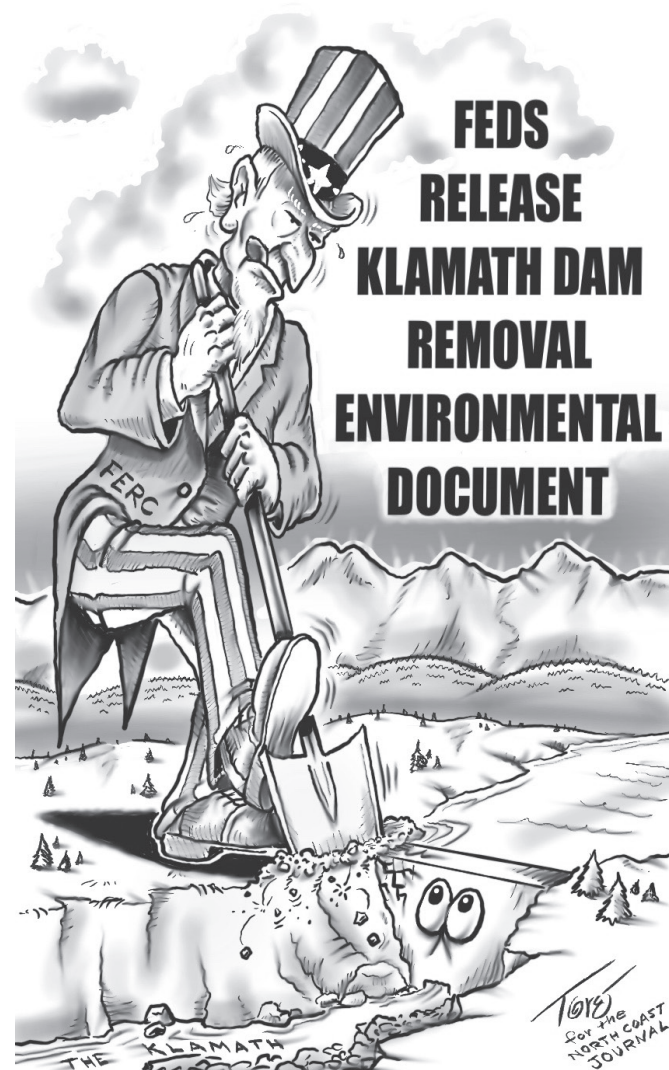
Editor:

I recently spent four days in the ICU at St. Joseph's Hospital, where the nursing staff were all wonderful, but the food was almost universally terrible ("A Week in the Hospital," Jan. 20). I can only think that those responsible for feeding ICU patients are not used to said patients being alert enough to comment on the food.

Several times during admission, I informed folks that I did not eat meat and was allergic to tomatoes and pomegranate, so I was surprised to find that my first meal after surgery was an omelet with sausage. My rejection of said sausage resulted in a designation of vegan (where it stayed, despite visits from dietitians), so there was no egg, cheese, milk, yogurt or butter to be seen for the next four days). Pomegranate and tomato allergy somehow translated into an allergy to all fruit. My lunch that day consisted of a scoop of unseasoned mashed potato, accompanied by unseasoned steamed carrots and broccoli. And it was pretty much downhill from there. The lack of salt and other seasonings meant that most food was tasteless — but confusingly extra syrup and sugar were on offer, along with margarine, non-dairy creamer, and some strange chemical cocktail in a Nestle sachet, which I did not dare open. The nurses' generosity saved me — they slipped me a "snack pack" containing fresh blueberries, real yogurt, a muffin and a hard-boiled egg — the greatest feast of all time!

Every meal was accompanied by a nutritional breakdown, but for food to be part of the healing process, it needs to be something patients want to eat. I leave the final word to a friend who was discharged shortly after I was: "My surgeon told me the final determining factor in letting me go was that she could no longer subject me to their food."

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# 'Opportunities for Fraud'

Karen Paz Dominguez airs string of accusations in report on audit 'findings,' drawing immediate backlash

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Apparently spurred by an errant letter from the state, Humboldt County Auditor-Controller Karen Paz Dominguez shared with the Board of Supervisors on March 1 the "findings" of her ongoing review of the county's finances, which included a laundry list of irregularities and deficient fiscal controls, as well as a few straight allegations of impropriety.

Paz Dominguez's staff report was officially for an agenda item simply looking for board approval to extend a county contract with an outside auditing firm working to finally finish the county's now long-delinquent single audit for the 2019-2020 fiscal year, a financial report required by the state annually that is now so late it has prompted some state agencies to freeze some county revenue streams. But in response to a "final demand letter" sent to her from Deputy Attorney General Julianne Mossler threatening to fine her personally \$5,000 for the outstanding audit, Paz Dominguez said it was "in the best interest of the people of Humboldt County" that she make the board aware of her review's findings, saying the information would be "difficult to hear" but was akin to taking medicine that was "necessary if we want to heal."

Word of Mossler's letter broke publicly Feb. 25, prompting Paz Dominguez to write a letter to the county's taxpayers that was released through local media and promised a public vetting of what she deemed "decades-long patterns of misfilings, misinformation and misreporting, which have throughout the years resulted in penalties, returned funding and have paved the way for confirmed cases of errors and fraud."

But it quickly became apparent during the March 1 supervisors meeting that Mossler's letter had been sent in error, or at least out of step with the State Controller's Office (SCO), which it purported to be sent on behalf of. The letter demanded that Paz Dominguez file the outstanding single audit with the SCO within 20 days or face a \$5,000 fine, while detailing Paz Dominguez's repeated failures to file the audit or communicate its status to the SCO.

At the supervisors meeting, Paz Dominguez and County Administrative

Officer Alicia Hayes both told the board they'd been in contact with the state team the SCO charged with investigating the outstanding audit, which has been working with county staff and is currently finalizing its report. SCO staff, Hayes and Paz Dominguez said, were taken by surprise by the letter and it appears the letter was the result of an automatically generated list of counties delinquent in their mandated financial filings. (It remained unclear at the meeting if the Attorney General's Office is, in fact, demanding the audit be filed within 20 days under threat of Paz Dominguez facing a personal fine.)

Nonetheless, Paz Dominguez continued with the report she'd promised, which board Chair and Fourth District Supervisor Virginia Bass later likened to a public airing of dirty laundry.

In many ways, the discussion came to mirror the controversy that has surrounded Paz Dominguez since she was elected in 2018 after raising alarm that the county's auditing practices amounted to little more than a rubber stamp, leaving the county at grave risk of fraud and waste, while critics — now seemingly including most county department heads — contend her office has failed to meet basic deadlines and perform essential functions. Paz Dominguez has often noted that her office is dependent on other departments to partner in good faith and meet their obligations for it to meet county reporting deadlines, but other department heads and outside agencies have criticized her office for failing to respond to emails and requests in a timely manner.

Reading from a prepared statement that had not been provided to the board or the public, Paz Dominguez walked supervisors through her findings related to the county's assets and liabilities. On the assets side, Paz Dominguez said her review found the Department of Health and Human Services does not regularly reconcile its petty cash, pointing to an incident where a petty cash box was accidentally destroyed and another in which petty cash was stolen and the auditor-controller's office was not informed. Further, Paz Dominguez said she'd learned of the department giving employees gift

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cards as “an advance on travel,” while the sheriff’s office had deposited cash into accounts from “sources unknown” and made payments “for a donated vehicle,” while a previously disposed vehicle had “resurfaced for sale.”

She charged that outside investment accounts in the County Administrative Officer were not recorded in the county’s general ledger and that a division of the office had written off a loan without authorization, while the county Planning and Building Department had failed to provide her office with sources of cash deposits and had written off a home loan that was not authorized.

On the liabilities side, Paz Dominguez charged that numerous departments had failed to submit timely invoices to her office — in some cases submitting them two or three years late — and had used unapproved time sheets and failed to properly document interfund loans and transfers, in some cases leading to double reporting of expenditures and revenues.

The review found numerous “opportunities for fraud,” Paz Dominguez said, with “edited and manipulated records” and unreconciled cash.

Paz Dominguez’s biggest accusations were directed at the CAO, which she charged lied to the State Controller’s Office, saying an actuarial report existed when it did not, then turned around and “forged” the document, and First District Supervisor Rex Bohn, who she alleged pressured departments “to perform tasks for him and his friends,” including rushed payments to vendors that didn’t have finalized county contracts and the rushed processing of permit applications.

The embattled auditor-controller did not provide the board with documentation or evidence of any of her “findings,” but promised to do so in advance of the board’s March 15 meeting, when the matter will be discussed again.

Bohn — who Paz Dominguez accused of showing her his middle finger at one point during her presentation, prompting Bass to explain Bohn just “holds his glasses like that” — said Paz Dominguez had previously levied “charges against” him that led to a “\$23,000 investigation with no findings” and urged her to take all her “findings” to prosecutors to review.

“I welcome that with open arms because you just blasted my name with no basis whatsoever,” Bohn said.

Some county department heads also took to the microphone to defend themselves or their staff.

Hayes said her office was “just wrung through the mud like no other” but said none of the information conveyed was

new to her, but pushed back to the use of the word “fraud,” saying there’s a difference between mistakes and deception for financial gain. She then suggested Paz Dominguez was tossing around blame for her own failings, noting that the county simply needs to meet its fiscal reporting deadlines in order to function.

“These are vital functions that your board and my office need to effectively manage a half-billion-dollar organization and that work is not being done,” she said.

Planning Director John Ford said issues surrounding his department’s documentation of cash deposits were news to him, but he maintained it thoroughly documents all cash transactions and was willing to “open everything” to the auditor-controller’s staff. As to the loan reconveyed without authorization, Ford said it was an honest and random mistake, noting the loan holder wasn’t anyone’s relative or friend. Calling it a “stupid mistake,” Ford also put the matter in some context, saying it was a \$19,600 loan, accounting for less than a tenth of a percent of his department’s \$22 million loan portfolio.

Other department heads said they felt Paz Dominguez had mischaracterized or misunderstood issues related to her findings, and Sheriff’s Office Deputy Director of Administration Regina Fuller said it was the first she’d heard of any of the issues Paz Dominguez raised about her office. She said all she wants to do is work with the auditor-controller but there has been “no communication” and “no collaboration.”

County Tax Collector John Bartholomew said he hadn’t intended to speak at the meeting but felt compelled to, saying he has always wanted Paz Dominguez to succeed. But Bartholomew detailed his own frustrations getting an update from the auditor-controller on interest accrued in county accounts that is owed outside agencies, saying he’s gone weeks without a response despite numerous inquiries.

Ultimately, the board voted unanimously to continue working with the outside firm CliftonLarsonAllen LLP to close the 2019-2020 audit — a step needed for the state to release frozen roads and workforce development funds — by the end of the month at an added cost of \$12,000, while agendizing a full report on Paz Dominguez’s findings for its March 15 meeting. Paz Dominguez also assured CliftonLarsonAllen’s audit would include some similar findings when it comes before the board once complete. ●

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# 'Shattered'

A pre-sentencing report sheds new light on the triple murder that devastated the Loleta and Bear River communities

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If 19-year-old Mauricio Johnson feels remorse for having gunned down a newly engaged couple and a 16-year-old girl in their home on the Bear River Band of the Rohnerville Rancheria Reservation last year and then working to flee the county as they lay bleeding, he didn't express it during a pre-sentencing interview with his probation officer.

In the interview, a summary of which is included in Johnson's pre-sentencing report, Johnson said he fatally shot Nikki Dion Metcalf and his fiancé Margaret Lee Moon after they first attacked him but "had no explanation" as to why he then shot Moon's 16-year-old daughter, Shelly, before fleeing the residence before dawn Feb. 10, 2021.

"Defendant stated he had no excuse for the shootings and the whole incident could have been handled differently," states the probation report, which includes no mention of Johnson expressing any contrition for his actions nor empathy for his victims and their family members.

The report — which was made public following Johnson's being sentenced Feb. 16 to serve 150 years to life in prison and will remain unsealed for 60 days as required by state law — includes a summary of the investigation, an interview with Johnson, other witness statements and autopsy results, as well as impact statements from relatives of the victims. Because Johnson pleaded guilty to three murder charges and didn't stand trial in the case, the probation report offers the public its most complete record to date of the crime and its terrible toll.

On Feb. 9, 2021, around 8 p.m., Metcalf picked up two of Shelly's cousins — Margaret Moon's niece's daughters, both juveniles — in Eureka, picking up pizza and sodas from Winco, before taking them back to the family home on Carroll Road in Loleta, where the cousins hung out in Shelly's room watching movies and listening to music until late into the night, after Margaret Moon and Metcalf had gone to bed.

According to the report, Johnson — whose mom was a second cousin of Margaret Moon's and he told the probation officer he considered the girls his cousins — showed up at Shelly's window with a bottle of brandy and cocaine. Johnson told his probation officer he'd been on a four- or

five-day run of doing cocaine by the time he arrived there that night. One of the cousins told investigators she woke up sometime later that night with Johnson, who was then 18, "grabbing the back of her neck and trying to kiss her" and that Johnson later was "getting aggressive" with her sister, "grabbing her throat and pinning her down to the bed." Shelly's younger sister, then 13, also told investigators Johnson had been interested in her sister but she had "turned him down multiple times."

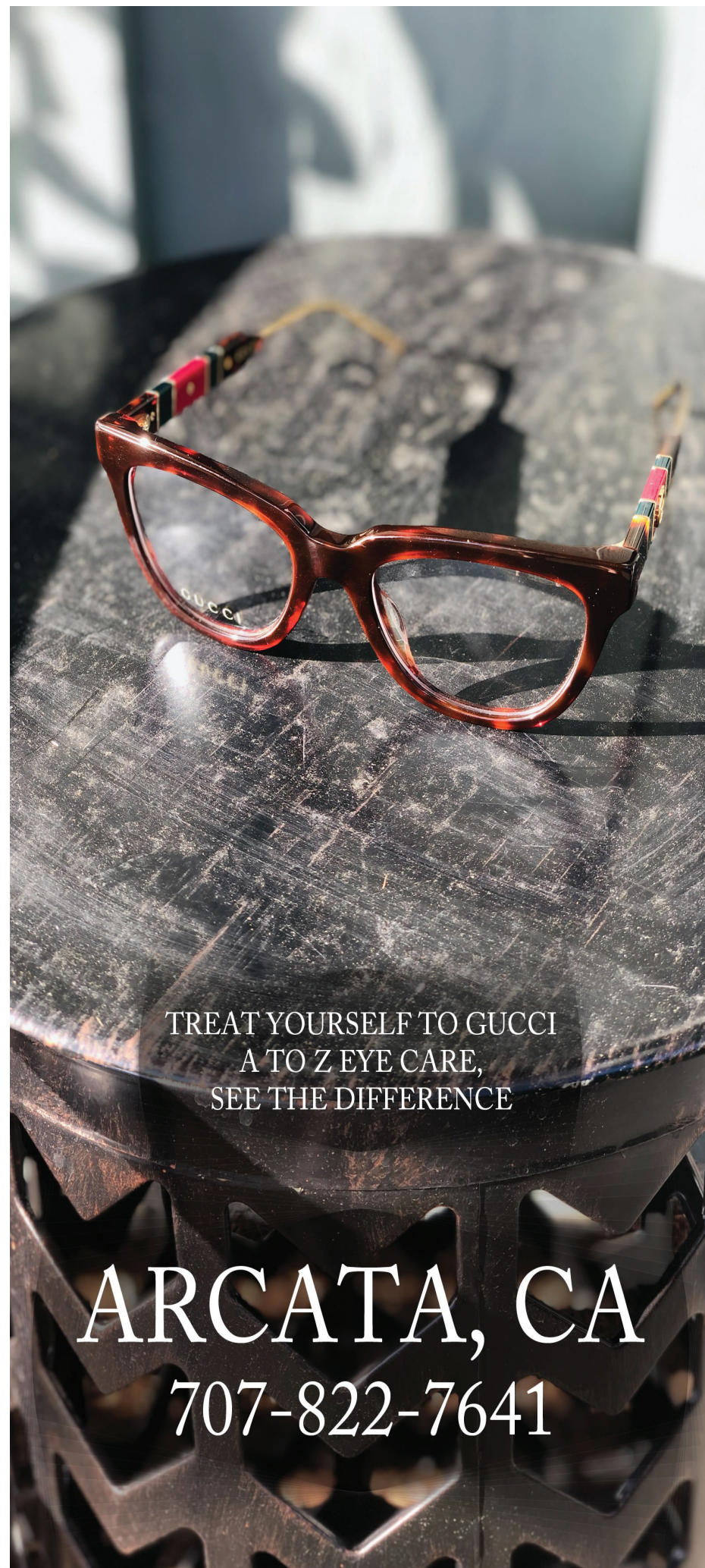
Around 3:30 a.m., Shelly's younger sister and her 11-year-old brother were awoken by a commotion in the house, according to investigators. Margaret Moon and Metcalf had woken up and found Shelly and one of her cousin's had been drinking and Margaret Moon was upset, breaking the bottle of brandy and shouting out the kids. Margaret Moon ultimately called her niece and asked her to come get her girls, which she did, picking them up shortly before 4 a.m. According to the report, Johnson was hiding in Shelly's room at the time, her parents unaware of his presence in the home.

What happened next is not entirely clear. Shelly's brother reported seeing Johnson run from her room while pulling up his pants and at some point Metcalf confronted him.

Johnson told his probation officer that Metcalf came back into Shelly's room "several minutes" after Margaret Moon broke the brandy bottle. He denied reports that he was sexually assaulting Shelly Moon or had been sexually involved with any of the girls in the house that night in any way — "they're my cousins," he told the probation officer, adding, "there are all sorts of stories going around but that stuff never happened." But what exactly he was doing when Metcalf entered the room, Johnson reportedly wouldn't say.

"While defendant would not say what he was doing at the time Mr. Metcalf reentered the room, it was apparently enough for Mr. Metcalf to begin beating defendant, according to defendant," the report states, adding that Johnson then drew a 9 mm handgun out of his backpack and shot Metcalf in the head. "According to defendant, Ms. Moon had come to the room about the same time he shot Mr. Metcalf. She proceeded to rush

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and attack defendant, so he shot her, as well. ... When asked about (Shelly), defendant had no explanation as to why he shot her."

According to an autopsy report, the gunshot wound to Metcalf's head had stippling around it, indicating it came at very close range, while a muzzle print was visible on Shelly's right cheek, indicating she was shot at point-blank range.

"Speculation surrounds the actual reason for their demise at defendant's hands, as there are only four people who know the actual truth and three of them are deceased," the probation report reads. "Regardless, defendant is singularly responsible for extinguishing the light of his three victims from the community and must be held accountable."

Shelly's sister was the first to find the grisly scene around 8 a.m. and sent her brother running to a nearby community center where a relative worked. "Auntie," he reportedly told her, "they're dead." While Shelly and Metcalf were pronounced dead when an ambulance arrived on scene, Margaret Moon was found to still have a pulse and rushed to the hospital, where she was deemed brain dead a couple hours later and taken off life support at the request of her family.

By the time investigators arrived on scene, where they found Shelly's 11-year-old brother and 13-year-old sister in shock, her wrapped in a blanket and shaking uncontrollably and him pale and swaying slowly from side to side, Johnson's attempted escape was well under way and he'd enlisted the help of his mother, Melissa Sanchez-Johnson and her friend Von Keener, to flee the county and the state. According to the probation report, investigators used a GPS device installed in Sanchez-Johnson's car by the used car dealership she bought it from as a condition of her car loan to track the vehicle's movements. Ultimately, they worked with the Utah State Highway Patrol, which used a spike strip and a high-risk traffic stop to take Johnson, his mother and Keener into custody.

While Johnson is perhaps the only person who knows the precise motive for the killings, the probation report makes clear he has long been on a path of escalating violence and criminality. Soon after his parents separated when he was 9 years old, leading to Sanchez-Johnson living homeless in her car and his father moving to Mexico, Johnson began falling into trouble. He was arrested on a vandalism charge when he was about 10. A few years later, he was arrested again for assault likely to cause great bodily injury, followed by arrests for resisting arrest, burglary, criminal threats, threatening to kill his girlfriend's mother, violating his probation and, finally, assaulting his uncle with a deadly weapon. He told his probation officer that he'd started drinking alcohol excessively and regularly by his 16th birthday, around the same time he started regularly using cocaine.

In a letter to the court, Margaret's older sister Cassandra Moon described herself as "shattered," saying Johnson's crimes had reverberating impacts on a family he was a part of. She said she used to babysit Johnson and his brothers.

"I used to watch them, protect them and treated them like my own kids," Cassandra Moon wrote. "Never in a million years would I have imagined that one of them would end up killing my baby sister, my beautiful niece and my brother-in-law."

In the letters, many family members registered their objection to the plea deal Johnson reached with prosecutors, which could leave him eligible for parole under state law. Some talked of the challenges they have faced in trying to overcome the trauma inflicted by the murders and to come to grips with all that was lost.

"We all lost a beautiful Native family that was going to do good things for Indian families and communities in providing safety, good healthy healing events and hope for our future," wrote Jewel Frank, who'd been Metcalf's foster mother, telling the court that when she thinks of the killings she still becomes overwhelmed, sometimes throwing up, her body trembling and her heart racing.

Fawn Lopez described her cousins Margaret and Shelly, both of whom worked as aides and in the after-school program at Loleta Elementary School, as happy, outgoing people who would do anything for anyone and light up any room they walked into. Others talked of Metcalf and Margaret Moon's newfound relationship, noting they'd just become engaged the prior Christmas and the crime left family members planning three funerals when they'd anticipated a wedding.

"You could tell they were soul mates," wrote Cherri Moon, Margaret's niece. "They brought out the best in each other."

"I feel suffocated," wrote Geraldine June Moon, Margaret's sister. "It hurts every single day and night."

In perhaps the most haunting impact statement, Shelly's younger sister, meanwhile, wrote that Shelly had understood her like no one else and there's no one in the world she can talk to like she did her mother. She said she'd always felt her life was "so great and wonderful" but on the morning of Feb. 10, 2021, came to realize "there is not a perfect life in the world." She wrote that she shut down, trying to "sleep (her) sadness away but it did not work."

"I still see the images of what I saw that morning," she wrote. "My life is forever changed and I miss my sister and my mom." ●

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# Is Medicare a Public Good or a Market Commodity?

By Corinne Frugoni and Patty Harvey

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**S**eniors, beware: Traditional Medicare is under attack. It was established 56 years ago for the health benefit of all seniors and those with chronic disabilities. It is already almost half gone — and without public outcry it will never return.

Medicare disintegration started with a program with the misleading name of Medicare Advantage, run by a number of for-profit health insurance companies. MA now serves 46 percent of former traditional Medicare enrollees and has been promoted by celebrities, glitzy advertising, promises of increased benefits and lower premiums. What they don't tell you: In order to increase profits, they create networks that limit your choice of doctors and hospitals.

MA practices the more unsavory methods of fleecing the system to seniors' disadvantage. It prefers to insure the healthiest of seniors, a practice called "cherry picking." If one becomes very ill or develops a rare disease requiring specialty care outside the contracted network, this may not be covered — a practice called "lemon dropping," forcing that client from the MA plan. Thus, the unfortunate senior has to wait to sign-up for traditional Medicare during the narrow, few months' enrollment period.

The most insidious (and illegal) practice is reviewing the health history of enrollees and fraudulently making them look sicker than they are in order to receive a higher compensation from the Medicare Trust Fund. Never has there been a more egregious bait and switch poisoning health care

performance and security. Many mega-corporations have been fined repeatedly for this practice — for them a mere wrist slap. Bottom line: The less they pay for you, the more they pocket for themselves and shareholders, their top concern.

But wait, there's more: Under the Trump administration, another unsavory corporatization scheme was launched through the Affordable Care Act, allowing for certain "innovative programs" to be initiated without oversight from Congress. These programs, called "Direct Contracting Entities" (DCEs), are continuing full speed ahead under the Biden administration. DCEs are loosely defined. They may be a health insurance company or a private equity firm that inserts itself between patients and physicians, managing treatment and payments in a way similar to MA. A big difference is that MA programs are required to spend 80 percent of their payments from the Medicare Trust Fund for medical care of their enrollees, keeping 20 percent for profit and overhead while DCEs are allowed to keep a whopping 40 percent of intake. It should be noted that Medicare's overhead is 2 to 3 percent with no profit.

Some 53 DCEs are already operating in 38 states, including California, affecting some 30 million former Medicare beneficiaries. They do this by enticing physician practices to sign up with promises of increased salaries and decreased administrative burdens. Once the physicians are signed up, the DCEs have access to the panel of traditional Medicare seniors they are treating, who are then automatically



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"aligned" with the contracting company. Unbelievably this is done without the seniors' knowledge or consent. Once aligned, it is very difficult for a senior to return to traditional Medicare and even harder to sign up for supplemental insurance. Initially seniors are promised they have a choice of physicians and hospitals. But, this can and will interfere with the companies' ability to make enough profit to satisfy their shareholders. Driven by profits, DCEs will ultimately constrict the choice seniors were promised.

The final plan is to "align" every senior not already enrolled in Medicare Advantage into a DCE by 2030, which will mark the final death blow to our publicly funded Medicare, causing public costs to spiral upwards, bankrupting Medicare while making mega salaries for their CEOs and huge profits for their shareholders. Meanwhile, quality of care continues to decline. Gone is the choice of physician or hospital. Without Congressional oversight, the DCEs are surging forward in their efforts to privatize Medicare completely.

Assemblymember Pramila Jayapal from Seattle has sent a petition signed by 54 fellow Congressional representatives (Jared Huffman has signed on) to Health and Human Services Secretary Xavier Becerra to

promote Congressional oversight of DCEs and ultimately eliminate them. Physicians for a National Health Program (PNHP), along with several other advocacy groups, have launched educational campaigns to alert the public to this under-the-radar Medicare attack orchestrated by Wall Street.

It is up to us to inform our friends, neighbors and legislators, and to demand protection of Medicare. So many of us have been working for decades to improve Medicare — and guarantee high-quality, accessible, equitable health care to all residents regardless of age, ethnicity, race, religions, job, gender identification, documentation or marital status. If by 2030, Medicare Advantage and Direct Contracting Entities have their way, there will be nothing left to improve.

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# Rio Dell Schools Drop Masking Enforcement, Defying State Order

**W**ell before California Gov. Gavin Newsom announced Feb. 28 that the statewide order mandating masks in K-12 schools will expire in two weeks, Rio Dell Elementary School District had decided to go its own route.

The district's board voted unanimously Feb. 17 to adopt a policy making plain its schools would not ask any questions of students who said they are exempt from masking orders due to exemptions for people with disabilities or pursue any disciplinary actions against students generally refusing to mask on campus.

"The Rio Dell Elementary School Board recognizes the importance of an academic rigorous classroom and also recognizes that constant mask reminders and reprimands during the instructional time can be disruptive to the learning environment," reads a statement approved by the board Feb. 17. "The prevalence of COVID-19 has decreased dramatically and the community widely supports student choice. The Rio Dell School District will move forward with its continued focus on the academic instruction of our students and will encourage students to wear a mask indoors but will not seek disciplinary action for those students that do not comply."

While Humboldt County let its masking mandate for fully vaccinated individuals in indoor, public spaces expire along with a similar statewide order earlier in February, the U.S. Centers for Disease Control continues to classify the county as "high" risk for COVID-19 transmission and, as such, continues to recommend everyone mask in indoor public settings, a recommendation local officials continue to echo. But pressure — already mounting for months — on school districts to drop masking requirements has ratcheted up considerably in the wake of Newsom's announcement that he would let the statewide masking order expire Feb. 15.

Rio Dell Elementary School District Superintendent Angela Johnson said parents and students had been vocal about their desire to see the district move away from the

masking requirement, with some addressing the board on the matter Feb. 17. (The discussion fell under an agenda item calling for the "report, discussion and possible action on COVID-19 protocols and recent guidance," which some in the school community felt did not provide adequate notice the board would consider deciding not to enforce what is still a statewide mandate.)

Lathe Gill, a regional staff person locally for the California Teachers Association, said he considered the board's decision "an unfair labor practice" and a violation of the Education Employee Relations Act, which requires the district to provide its teachers association of advance notice of — and an opportunity to bargain regarding — changes in working conditions. Gill said teachers and CTA had numerous concerns about the change, including whether violating state public health orders could result in the state taking disciplinary action against teacher or administrator credentials, open schools up to civil liability and the potential loss of state and federal funds.

Gill pointed out that when a school district in Roseville voted to violate the state's public health order, the California Department of Public Health advised that doing so would breach a "legal duty" and result in disciplinary action against teachers, while schools and districts could face fines or lawsuits.

The Rio Dell school board met in a special closed session meeting Feb. 24 to discuss concerns — and the potential for liability — brought forward by Gill, with the board ultimately voting to stand by its decision. With the board's closed session vote coming just days before Newsom was expected to announce changes to statewide masking orders for schools, Gill said "the whole business feels like political theater," but theater "with real financial and professional peril for schools and teachers." Gill said some of the Rio Dell association's members also expressed concern that district parents — including those in favor of the prior masking rules — were not advised of the board's change in policy.

## Food on the Move



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As of March 29, Food for People's Eureka Choice Pantry will be operating out of a new temporary location at 1720 10th St., adjacent to the Eureka Skate Park and the Cooper Gulch Fields, until construction of its permanent facility is finished later this year. POSTED 02.25.22

Reached after the state's announcement Feb. 28, Gill said the Rio Dell Elementary School District has provided staff with clear directives regarding implementation of the new policy, which he hopes will protect individual teachers from any personal liability. Whether the Rio Dell Teachers Association wants to pursue the matter further by filing an unfair labor practice charge is up to its members, he said.

"It was their right to advance notice and an opportunity to bargain that was violated," Gill said. "It is their licenses that the board put at risk. And, of course, some teachers are still very worried about whether changes to masking will put their families or their students at risk. And others on the staff are very much in support of the board decision."

Some in the greater community voiced support for the board's decision, as well. Fortuna Mayor Sue Long took to her personal Facebook page to applaud the board's vote.

"I am so proud of all of you," Long wrote. "Much respect to the board members, principal, teachers and everybody else who wants what's best for our kids! Who else is brave enough to take a stand?"

The state's revised order, which will go into effect March 12, allows local districts to continue mandating masking on their

campuses and some — including San Diego Unified — have already announced they will continue mandatory indoor masking moving forward, with San Diego saying it would reassess when the county moves out of the CDC's "high" risk designation. But such health orders have proven controversial — police were recently called to South Fork High School's campus after it was put on lockdown due to people protesting the mask mandate coming onto campus — and Newsom's decision pushes school boards to the front of the political fray.

Despite the controversy, health officials and medical researchers have been adamant that masking is effective in slowing transmission of COVID-19. During a press conference earlier this month, California Health and Human Services Secretary Mark Ghaly pointed to a California Department of Health study that found wearing a cloth mask reduces the risk of COVID-19 transmission by 56 percent, while a KN95 or N95 quality mask reduces it by 83 percent. Humboldt County Health Officer Ian Hoffman has been adamant, even as he dropped the countywide masking order, that he still recommends "masking for everyone in all settings."

— Thadeus Greenson

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Cleaning up the remnants of the old pulp mill is a part of plans to build a large-scale fish farm on the Samoa Peninsula. Photo by Mark McKenna



## Aquafarm Ecology: Energy and Water in, Water and GHG Out, Fish on the Go

The underlying environmental implication of “paper or plastic?” is enormous enough. Building and operating a large-scale, land-based fish farm has a complexity of ecology that has so far taken Nordic Aquafarms 1,800 pages to begin to address. Citizens scrutinizing Nordic’s Draft Environmental Impact Report on the implications of the fish factory produced their own volumes Feb. 18 for the county planning department to consider and respond to.

Some responses simply deemed Nordic’s analysis defective. For instance, critics argue the company is using flawed data to estimate greenhouse gas emissions. In another, some noted Nordic was using information from a water testing point that doesn’t reflect the project’s true intake and outfall.

Humboldt Baykeeper, the Coalition for Responsible Transportation Priorities, Surfrider Foundation, the Northcoast Environmental Center, 350 Humboldt, the Environmental Protection Information Center, Friends of the Eel River, Save California Salmon and the Sierra Club Redwood Chapter North Group collectively proposed what the environmental nonprofits

call a “roadmap” for Nordic to follow in order to build a factory that they expect would pass legal and local muster.

Here are some of the highlights of the analysis and a distillation of public response.

### Against the current — energy and climate

Nordic’s data on energy triggered the most criticism. It would use 21 percent of the county’s total electric demand — as much as the cities of Eureka and Fortuna combined. And while Nordic intends to build a 4.8-megawatt solar installation of its own, it would only contribute a figurative flash-light’s worth (3 percent) of the fish farm’s estimated electricity demand.

Environmental groups suggest a legal commitment by the company to purchasing 100 percent renewable energy by increasing its own solar construction and buying local renewables when feasible. That may not be a problem if plans for an offshore wind farm are completed. But if that project does not come to fruition, transmission constraints currently prevent Nordic from importing enough renewable energy to meet its needs.

Nordic project manager Scott Thompson said committing to certain energy sources would disarm the company’s ability to negotiate future prices. He added that the electricity required, mostly for pumping and cooling, would be about two

# Weighing the Fish Scales of Economic Development

Community’s deep dive to analyze Nordic Aquafarms’ potential

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**T**he proverb goes something like: “If you give a woman a fish, she can eat for a day. If you teach a woman to fish, she can eat for a lifetime.” But with fewer fish and many more mouths to feed in today’s world, we are left to consider a newer version: “Give Humboldt an environmentally acceptable aquafarm so many can eat, and teach developers how to try to catch environmentalists’ support.”

Local environmental groups are surprisingly optimistic that Nordic Aquafarms’ massive proposed fish factory can provide jobs, clean up a festering old pulp mill site and augment the evanescent natural supply of fish with Atlantic salmon’s domesticated doppelgänger without imperiling a healthy ecosystem. It’s not just the details of this particular factory, they’re seeing new nuances in Humboldt’s future economic development and diversity.

Nordic wants to build its plant on the Samoa Peninsula. To do that, the county has to permit it. And to get it permitted, Nordic drafted its best arguments — backed, in part, by scientific data — and presented them to the county in the form of a Draft Environmental Impact Report (DEIR) late last year.

Responses to the environmental tome Nordic filed with the county Planning and Building Department Feb. 18 reveal that while Humboldt’s environmental groups are highly critical of some of Nordic’s claims, they’re sanguine that most of the proposed development’s harm can be moderated. Meanwhile, the Humboldt Fishermen’s Marketing Association’s Nick Colazas is one of the few dead-set against the development. “The Norwegians have done an excellent job of sugar coating/greenwashing their project,” he said in an email.

The highlights of Nordic’s DEIR’s deep dive into building a fish factory are that, once completed, the project is expected to: use more than one-fifth of the county’s electricity, discharge 12.5 million gallons of effluent into the ocean daily, and increase

traffic — all after cleaning up a contaminated old mill site and while adding 150 jobs. The company plans to use a recirculating water system that it deems “sustainable,” with a “high” level of treatment for discharges and “escape-proof” barriers to keep farmed fish from the open ocean. Nordic has been producing salmon in its flagship factory in Fredrikstad, Norway, for more than a year.

When organizations like the Environmental Protection Information Center and the Northcoast Environmental Center (NEC) were established, much of the thinking about local development was black and white because the nonprofits existed largely to combat logging’s deforestation run amok. Decades later, Humboldt’s activists are now looking through a prism of possibilities.

“We’re benefiting a lot from the work our predecessors did to oppose projects. It makes it easier to shape [development],” NEC Executive Director Caroline Griffith said. “I’ve been thinking about the root word for ‘economy’ in economic development. It’s the ‘care of home,’ not just our needs but all the critters.”



offshore wind turbines' worth of power. But that offshore wind power is far from guaranteed. In part, it's a bit of a "chicken and egg" problem — wind developers don't want to bid on costly new wind turbine leases and infrastructure unless they can sell it locally; local industry, like the fish factory, meanwhile, can't promise to use the electricity until it's built.

Nordic's draft takes the position that no significant greenhouse gases will be generated from the development. That's "totally anomalous," according to 350 Humboldt. Nordic relied on PG&E data to reach its conclusion and the utility's information is flawed, 350 Humboldt and other organizations stated.

Another greenhouse gas impact is refrigerants. Fish need to be cold, and the resulting greenhouse gas emissions from refrigerants are glossed over in Nordic's plans, environmental groups say.

### Murking it up

Once the fish are done with their H<sub>2</sub>O, the factory is set to discharge 12 million gallons of treated wastewater a day. That discharge would also be warmer with lower pH and salinity than the receiving ocean waters. While Thompson said the warmer water would cool to sea temperature within 10 feet of being discharged out the outfall pipeline and ocean temperatures are warming anyway, environmentalists worry this combination has the potential to exacerbate toxic algae blooms. Critics

also note there could be antibiotic — and potentially chemically toxic — effluent from the factory.

The environmental groups and others, including the Salmonid Restoration Federation, say modeling using data from ocean waters near the discharge point would be more accurate than what is in the DEIR, and that unspecified protective actions should be triggered before another algae bloom creates unsafe levels of domoic acid.

"Exposure to viruses, loss of habitat (including food and cover), timing of exposure to toxic chemicals, disruption of migration, thermal pollution and localized domoic acid proliferation all deserve a harder look in the final EIR," commented wildlife biologist Alison Willy. "This is especially true for vulnerable species such as green sturgeon, Chinook salmon, coho salmon, steelhead, eulachon, longfin smelt and Dungeness crab. Adverse effects to local fisheries are reasonably certain to occur as a result of the project. These adverse effects would come at a time when our fisheries and local wildlife are already stressed from climate change, marine warming and harmful algal blooms."

### Fish without bicycles

There is no question vehicle traffic will increase if the factory is built. Shipments of harvested fish to market are expected to cause 95 truck trips per week. The environmental groups contend the total

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It helps that Nordic isn't trying to pave paradise and put up a parking lot with this development. Nordic's site is definitely not paradise, despite being surrounded by Humboldt Bay and the Pacific Ocean.

The 77-acre site hosts a former pulp mill that left so much toxic material in its wake the Environmental Protection Agency spent \$15 million on a preliminary cleanup in 2014. But despite the federal investment, a significant amount of work remains. There's silos sprinkled with asbestos, tattered steel buildings, settlement ponds and general post-industrial ugly. Much of it, said Nordic project manager Scott Thompson, is expected to be busted up and pressure driven into a new, more earthquake-resistant, foundation. Environmental groups see getting the site cleaned up responsibly as a huge positive of the project.

"The Wiyot recognize and support the cleanup of the toxic former pulp mill property that is a major benefit from this proposed project," Wiyot Tribe Natural Resources Director Adam Canter noted in his response to the DEIR.

But before any cleanup begins, envi-

ronmentalists say Nordic has to first tackle serious potential problems: the farm's massive energy footprint, the threat that its waste could sicken wild sea life and create biological imbalance and an increase in traffic on the peninsula and beyond.

Still, many critics imagine a development done properly at the end of it all. The difference between Nordic and other developers — the thing that seems to have environmentalists buying in — is that the company actively engaged the public from early in the process. It opted for the full cost and gravity of an Environmental Impact Report in response to public requests despite the county having already declared the project poses no "significant adverse impact" after an initial study last May, which could have allowed Nordic to skip the scrutiny, time and expense of a full EIR.

This move to undergo a thorough and complete environmental review has seemingly gone a long way to appease project skeptics. An EIR, under a 1970 state law, is supposed to extensively explore direct and indirect impacts on everything the public

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number of vehicle trips would be at least twice that, noting it doesn't include other increased traffic accessing the facility, like deliveries. The groups suggest using electric vehicles as they become available to reduce greenhouse gases, as well as vanpools for workers. Some neighboring residents say increased traffic is intolerable.

### Sucking it up

Tiny fish that feed the food chain can be inhaled into the facility's uptake system, according to The National Marine Fisheries Service and the Wiyot Tribe, which argue that sucking in 12 million gallons of water a day from Humboldt Bay is bound to catch a few stray life forms.

"Although the screen size and maximum approach velocity are designed to have minimal impacts," the Wiyot wrote, trapping "culturally important and endangered fishes [are] likely unavoidable."

Thompson said that the Harbor District is still analyzing the proposed intake system's effect on teeny creatures, like long-finned smelt, and will use that to create "compensatory mitigation" measures, like preserving other fisheries' environments.

### Farm to table

Nordic's land-based fish factory is set to

grow 25,000 tons of edible Atlantic salmon per year. The fish is intended for local distribution hubs and then on to the supply chain, with 40 percent sold retail and the rest going to wholesale markets. If it's on your shopping list, the company said in an email, its farmed Atlantic salmon is intended for the "high end" of the farmed fish price range, now at about \$15 per pound, "but not as high as wild-caught fish."

Many advocate eating their proteins low on the food chain for higher environmental sustainability. Producing legumes for sustenance, for instance, creates far less impact on the land than cattle feedlots because it takes more protein, and related energy, to make that pound of hamburger than it does for a pound of beans. Because of that, what Nordic's farmed fish are fed creates levels of impact. Fish feed has its own greenhouse gas emissions, the environmental groups noted. According to data, they say fish food production drives more than 90 percent of aquaculture's energy use and greenhouse gas emissions. They say the company "ignores the carbon footprint of the food" in its DEIR, asking that the final EIR "quantify the carbon intensity of various feed stocks," including using vegetable proteins and insect meal.

For instance, 350 Humboldt proposes

and the developer think would be affected by a project. California requires that projects with significant adverse effects be denied unless mitigation or alternatives can "substantially" lessen effects. A draft EIR is akin to turning in your English class essay to be corrected, spell-checked and dissected, with pages of suggestions written in red by the public at large, in the hope that a better version might survive to get a passing grade.

But, as that new proverb might counsel: "A wise and crafty corporation does not hide underneath rocks."

New developers don't want to be painted with the same brush as old industrialists who aggressively participated in the demise of our home's natural beauty and sustainability. If the public has anything to say, and we do, through the county Board of Supervisors and various state requirements, developers have to appease public concerns in order to win approval. For developers, it's a tricky task to try to address concerns before making profits. Citizens want total assurances and capitalists want to leave wiggle room to make deals on the margins. For instance, many of those who filed comments last week want Nordic to commit to powering the farm with 100-percent renewable energy. But Nordic, according to Thompson, wants to reserve the ability to negotiate electric prices,

and a total commitment would leave little wiggle room.

In navigating through hundreds of pages of Nordic's data and citizens' comments, it's remarkable how complex our thinking has become on developments' impact on ecology. Environmental impact reports have become more nuanced in recent decades as science has grown to provide more data on our environment, and Humboldt's nonprofits and citizen activists are thinking more intricately about new projects.

An ambitious number of environmental groups agreed on so many of the issues in Nordic's DEIR that they filed a joint response. Humboldt Baykeeper, the Coalition for Responsible Transportation Priorities, Surfrider Foundation, the Northcoast Environmental Center, 350 Humboldt, the Environmental Protection Information Center, Friends of the Eel River, Save California Salmon and the Sierra Club Redwood Chapter North Group responded collectively with what they call a "roadmap" for the development.

"A massive project like Nordic Aquafarms ... might in the past have drawn outright opposition from local environmentalists," Colin Fiske, executive director of the Coalition for Responsible Transportation Priorities, said in an email. "Today, instead, you're seeing most of us engaging Nordic



that the feed for Nordic's fish be of the same protein content or less than the fish themselves, so it doesn't take more resources to create the fish than the fish offer. Thompson said he expects the feed conversion ratio to be about 1-1, that is, slightly more protein will go in than is in the fish, but a far lower ratio than, say, chickens. Nordic, however, is still looking for sustainable and local sources of feed at this time.

### Working for scale

Operating Engineers Union Local 3, educational institutions and real estate companies sent in dozens of letters in support of the potential for 150 or so well-paying positions that the facility aims to fill with full-time employees.

### Locovore — no project, no way

The Humboldt Fishermen's Marketing Association leads this category. The people who depend on wild-caught fish for a living believe that the Pacific Coast is no place for Atlantic salmon. They are concerned that Atlantic salmon eggs cannot be proven to be without viruses, which could contaminate the wild Pacific salmon fisheries. They also fear potential job displacement.

—J.A. Savage



An artist rendering of Nordic Aquafarm's proposed farm, which would raise Atlantic salmon on the Samoa Peninsula. Submitted

and the county in good faith to figure out ways to minimize the project's negative impacts and enhance positive impacts rather than trying to stop it altogether. I think that's partly because we know that stopping bad things from happening isn't enough for the situation we're in. The status quo is not acceptable. We need a lot of good things to actually happen, and fast, to address climate, biodiversity, environmental health, equity and other key issues. By that, I mean that we need major shifts in our built environment and our economy to allow us to thrive in an era of climate chaos without further exacerbating the problems."

One aspect of that, Fiske said, is the need for environmentalists and the community at-large to actively support local agencies and companies that take the right approach.

"I'm hopeful that we're starting to see that happen," he said. "So we've got to fix the DEIR and then move on from there. I think this illustrates the complexity of these issues, and why there often aren't straightforward answers."

But the central question remains: Will Nordic invest the capital needed to make it a green enough project for environmental groups to stomach? For instance, the developer has so far committed to building a solar array that would contrib-

ute about 3 percent of the project's total demand for electricity. A half-dozen environmental organizations, meanwhile, are calling for a commitment for 100-percent renewable energy. Is the cost of expanding its own solar and investing in other local renewables worth the grace of the public?

Marianne Naess, Nordic's executive vice president of commercial operations, said in an email from Norway that the company has no price point, yet, that would cause it to abandon its plans.

"We have to make sure that the facility is built according to the requirements and conditions in the EIR/permits, but also that it is a commercially feasible project," she said, adding the caveat that "external incidents, such as deterioration of the water quality in bay," might be more of a threat to the project than mitigation costs. "We are dependent on clean, cold water and it is important that any existing and new developments would not negatively impact the water quality."

Naess revealed no cutoff point where it would become too expensive to continue with the project.

"Our plan today is to pursue the project and we anticipate that we are able to obtain the necessary permits with reasonable conditions," she said. "We believe Eureka is the best location on the West Coast."

Comments need to be reviewed, ana-

lyzed and "adequately" responded to as a part of the Final Environmental Impact Report. For this reason, there is currently no anticipated timeline for a county hearing on the project, Cade McNamara, a planner in the Humboldt County Planning and Building Department, explained in an email. Far more optimistic is Nordic's Thompson. He said problems can be ironed out enough to get permits in six months. It would take a couple more years to demolish old structures on the site and build the factory, mindful that demolition and construction can't interrupt bird season.

Once Nordic responds to the responders, the county Planning Commission will likely set a hearing for both the DEIR and a Coastal Development Permit, probably simultaneously, McNamara added. If anyone still wants to add their thoughts to the record on the proposed fish development, the door isn't sealed shut just yet.

"Comments can still be submitted as a part of Nordic's [coastal permit] application," McNamara explained. "This means that comments wouldn't be included in the [final] EIR if the deadline is missed, but people can still be on the record through the second process." ●

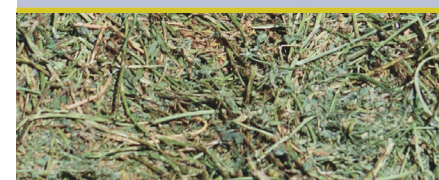
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# What's Good: Eureka's Pile High Deli and Il Forno in Garberville

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## Piling on

Given the changing lineup of eateries lining Broadway in Eureka — with fast food and chain restaurants crowding the corridor — it's a wonder there were no pile-ups as drivers craned their necks at the new sign for Pile High Deli replacing the old one for Hole in the Wall (1331 Broadway). \*Cue the crushing of chip bags in anguished fists.

If you've stopped in lately, you likely got a flier in your bag explaining how the name of the business, which John Forest bought from the owners of the Arcata Hole in the Wall in 1991, had to change before the place could be sold. It also assured customers the sandwiches would remain the same. \*Cue slight relaxing of anguished fists around crushed chips.

In fact, in a couple months, the Pile High Deli will be in the hands of current manager Jesse Galloway, who's been behind the counter for the past two years. "Everything's the same except for the name is kinda the catchphrase we've been throwing out to everybody," says Galloway. "I wanna keep that comfy family vibe we've always had ... staff who know your order," he says.

Employee Stevie Jessen says customers have been anxious but the sandwiches, down to the bread from Fat Cat and Brio, remain exactly the same: made the same way with the same ingredients by the same folks. The deli's take on the New Orleans muffaletta she puts together — granted, a relatively recent item on the menu — with olive spread, roasted red peppers, prosciutto, provolone and Genoa salami on Dutch crunch bears this out in its heft and generous filling. (OK, not the traditional bread choice but I believe in following the advice of trained experts, and she was not wrong about it being extra good that day.) That and the wall of sleepiness one sometimes hits midway through the second half.

After 31 years in the sandwich business, Forest says, "My main takeaway is a huge

amount of pride in a business that when I purchased it, didn't even pay the bills" and now has a loyal customer base. "Right now, it's just peaking — Jesse's getting in at a great time."

Galloway agrees. While other restaurants have struggled, business has actually been up during the pandemic. "We're not a sit-down place; we're grab and go and we're quick. ... We were fortunate," he says, "very little changed for us to be able to follow the rules." He admits there was a dip in sales when traffic first swelled for the newly opened KFC and In-N-Out Burger, but things returned to normal after about a week or so each time.

That steady customer base is one reason to keep things as they are, and happily, Galloway's own tastes align with the masses. "I have a sandwich [at Pile High] every day and on my days off, I sometimes make an excuse to come in so I can make a sandwich. It's hard even at home to make one the way I can make a sandwich there."

## Take the cannoli

Chris Valk, born and raised in Garberville, already owned the Chimney Tree Grill on the Avenue of the Giants when she began eyeing the spot by the movie theater on Redwood Drive where Treats used to be. When the newly gutted space became available, she jumped at the chance to tailor it for Il Forno Bakery (764 Redwood Drive, Garberville). "For a long time I felt like we needed a bakery in the area," she says. Baking, if not in her training, is in her blood, since her mother worked for years at San Francisco's Just Desserts before moving back to Humboldt and baking at Ramone's.

Head baker Walter Chumley starts work at 2 a.m. every day to fill the cases with eclairs, cheery miniature tarts, fat whoopie pies and big, glossy croissants sometimes stuffed and topped with almond or fruit and ricotta filling by the 6 a.m. opening time. The slightly salty buttermilk biscuit with honey and fig jam is utterly satisfy-



Pile High Deli employee Stevie Jessen and owner-to-be Jesse Galloway.

Photos by Jennifer Fumiko Cahill

ing with crusty edge and tender middle. The shells of the traditional cannoli with chocolate chip and citron-dotted ricotta filling break with that unmistakable muted crunch for which there must be a word for in Italian or ASMR lingo. "It's very classic," says Valk.

There are more whimsical rotating specials, like doughnuts topped with chopped Skor bars (an underrated candy), tea from Humboldt Herbals and coffee custom blended for Il Forno by Signature Coffee in Redway. For lunch, the kitchen offers grab-and-go salads, charcuterie boxes and sandwiches. Valk says, "I want it to be as little wait time as possible ... you're in and out in 10 minutes." What you won't find is a basket of yesterday's treats. "We never sell day-old pastries, I donate them to the

hospital at the end of the day," she says. "They get very excited."

Valk herself is partial to the tomato, mushroom, caramelized onion and cheese croissant, though the frittata is her go-to for breakfast. The contrast between the relatively luxurious offerings in her shop and the shuttered storefronts on the town's main drag isn't lost on her. "That's really what we wanted to offer — something wonderful. Garberville doesn't have to be [as sparse] as it is, people deserve something wonderful." ●

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Hearty biscuits with honey and fig jam at Il Forno Bakery.



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Travis Latta, acrylic paintings.

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Bernadette Vielbig's "She Really Didn't Like to Press Her Clothes, but Rather Considered it to be a Royal Inconvenience," at Morris Graves Museum of Art.

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Tamar Atik, paintings.

**SHIPWRECK** 430 Third St. Sam Kirby, large silk screen prints and prints on paper.

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**SISTERS CLOTHING COLLECTIVE** 328 Second St. Jordan Rainone, acrylic painting.

**THE SPEAKEASY** 411 Opera Alley. Live music outside from 8 to 10 p.m.

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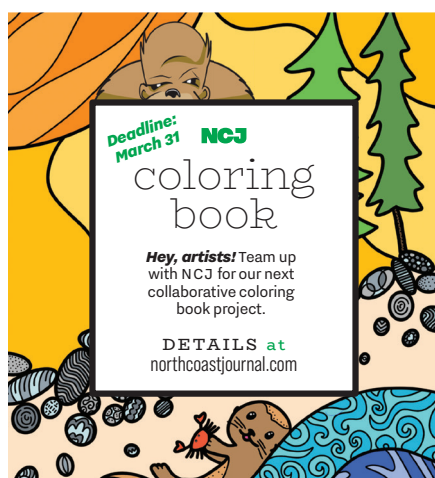
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# History Looped at Fort Humboldt

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**W**e walk through our world in the footsteps of those who came before, sometimes treading the same path unaware. As a teen, I visited the Ulysses S. Grant home in Galena, Illinois. As an adult I helped with an historical recreation of the dinner U.S. Army pork supplier William "Hog" Ryan threw for his friend President Grant in Dubuque, Iowa. Years later, I found myself gazing at the visage of Grant once again. He and I found ourselves far from the Mississippi River, both standing on the grounds of Fort Humboldt State Historic Park, separated by nearly 170 years.

When I chose the just over half-mile loop, I didn't know that I would find this old acquaintance. I did find what I expected in a state park steeped in history. Interpretive panels let the curious investigate and the incurious pass unaffected. People with the need for speed can leg it past leisurely ramblers counting steps as families picnic.

The easy path rolls by the fort's only surviving original building, the hospital built in 1863. At the building's rear, I spied a sentry peering through a window but he was only an illustration. Another window holds illustrations of period surgical instruments that make one appreciate modern medicine. The museum inside is undergoing renovation, so my partner and I lingered over these window-framed treats. We strolled up the porch ramp to see Dr. Lafayette Guild, who left Fort Humboldt to serve in the Civil War as General Lee's personal physician. The wide porch framed the parade grounds and I admired the hospital's little garden, an essential for growing medicinal herbs before antiseptics were discovered.

Quartermaster Grant served in the commissary, its former site located by a panel with a photo of Grant 10 years later, in the easy pose of a man who has hit his stride. I pictured him, bleary-eyed after hiding in the tavern, maybe yearning for his wife and contemplating what he thought was a bleak military future. In 1854, an unhappy Grant resigned his captaincy promotion after only five months. He left Humboldt to eventually settle in Galena, Illinois, where our paths originally intersected.

We left the general behind in pursuit of new knowledge, peering through the windows of the reconstructed surgeon's quarters where Harriet St. John Simpson lived with husband Assistant Surgeon Josiah Simpson and their children. She chronicled her life at the fort from 1854 to 1857, sharing



Before President Lincoln promoted him to general, Ulysses S. Grant served as quartermaster for Fort Humboldt. The hospital in the background was built in 1863, years after Grant left. It has been put to use as a park office and now a museum. Photo by Meg Wall-Wild

cooking instructions along with social commentary. An earlier panel highlighted the work of women, showing the partnership needed to survive and thrive. I still shudder at the workload of the indomitable laundress.

We turned onto the ramrod-straight path that passed the site of living quarters — company, officers and commander — its focal point a tall wooden pole where soldiers once raised and lowered the flag to the tune of a brassy bugle. The standing tent panel is just what kids love. The flaps are permanently open, enticing an energetic 3 year old to sidle through while allowing an older sibling to contemplate the rough life of the ordinary soldier. Farther along, a white doorframe reveals brass beds and wine — the perks of being an officer.

Fort Humboldt was built to protect gold, lumber and settlers, but it tore the nation's fabric. Major Gabriel J. Rains is said to have tried to keep settlers from harming Native people but his attempts to mend the rip failed. The fort overlooks the site of Goutsuwel'hik, one of five Wiyot villages settlers wiped out in 1860, murdering hundreds of people. It was a hard fact to digest on a sunny day, as was this quote on the panel by Albert James, Wiyot: "Ever since the massacre, the shells have never heard the Indian song."

The plight of the Wiyot, already shocking, worsened after the federal troops were sent east where their fates again intermingled with Grant on Civil War battlefields. The replacement soldiers were recruited locally and their abuse of the Wiyot is chilling. I cannot give description to the corral supposedly built to protect but instead containing such misery the Wiyot named it *Jouwuchguri'm*, meaning "lying down and drawing up your knees." As we read, a hiker strode past this panel and the next one describing the deadly 1935 labor strikes at the Holmes-Eureka Mill. The mill had been built on top of Goustuwel'hik, long before the Bayshore Mall covered them both. The fort itself succumbed to a changing world, its buildings and mules sold off in 1870.

We were lapped by a lady quickly walking a terrier as we took refuge in the shady

woods. The park's logging display provides a treat for the history buff and the metalhead. Panels throughout told tales of life in camp and the formidable Maggie and her cookhouse. Steam and diesel machines created to harvest the tallest trees on earth waited for our inspection. I wandered past massive sections of redwoods to find donkey engines invented by John Dolbeer, of Eureka. Once the powerhouses of industrial logging, they were designed to help chew up the forest and feed America's need for lumber. The brutal geometry of gears makes the iron monsters things of beauty. The towering three-story Washington slackline loader is now quiet, its thunderous part in the transformation of Humboldt County long over. Delicate ferns now accentuate the machine's cold stillness.

A weathered train shed housed two honored relics: locomotives behind plexiglass, graciously accepting the cooing admiration of an elderly couple. The history of Bear Harbor Lumber Co. 1 was rife with drama and it captivated the pair. We strolled past them and beyond, flanked by tall log arches, machines designed for low impact removal.

We neared the end of the circuit, peering through the trees, drawn to voices singing. A group of ranger hats popped into view beyond the Grant commemorative plaque. I saw young people dancing and felt a sense of rightness. As I passed a building on the way to the van, I saw a new sign and understood — the community had come together to repair the fabric a little. The sign reads: "Fort Humboldt State Historic Park is located on the land of the Wiyot people. The name for this place is *Jouwuchguri'm*."

We don't move on from history so much as we weave through it, adding our own threads. I smiled at two young people, one in a ranger hat, standing on a picnic table in the sun. ●

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# Parched Rivers Set to Receive a Little Rain

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Grant Newnom and Elise Aileen, of the Santa Rosa area, landed a nice Eel River steelhead on a recent trip. The main stem Eel River is one of the few coastal rivers open to fishing. Photo courtesy of Blake Manning/Redwood Fishing Adventures

As we wait patiently for our “Miracle March,” there is at least some rain in the immediate forecast. While it’s not much, anything at this point is beneficial. Currently we have way more rivers closed to fishing than open. As for the upcoming rain, the Humboldt area could see up to a half inch, which could open back up the Mad and Van Duzen rivers temporarily. Further north, where most of the rain has and will fall, the Chetco saw a pretty good rise Monday and is now muddy. Once it clears, it will be the most popular river on the coast. The Smith rose slightly Monday and gained about 230 cubic feet per second. Additional rain is predicted for the next few days, which will surely help the fishing. The Eel River system, unfortunately, was not in this storm’s path, and remains low and clear. With a month left in the winter steelhead season, the outlook for a wet finish isn’t looking good. I hope I’m wrong.

## The weather ahead

Rain is in the forecast starting Wednesday afternoon and lingering into Friday, according to Zahaira Velez of Eureka’s National Weather Service office. “From Wednesday through Friday, the Smith basin could see up to 1.5 inches,” Velez said. “Here in Humboldt, we may see up to a half inch. There could be some sprinkles on Saturday, then we’re looking dry until at least Tuesday.”

## River Closures

As of Tuesday, the South Fork Eel, Middle Fork Eel, Mattole, Redwood

Creek, Van Duzen and Mad are currently closed to fishing due to low flows. The state Department of Fish and Wildlife will make the information available to the public no later than 1 p.m. each Monday, Wednesday and Friday as to whether any stream will be closed to fishing. The rivers can be opened up at any time. The low flow closure hotline for North Coast rivers is 822-3164.

## The Rivers:

### Mad

Closed to fishing as of Tuesday morning. It’s predicted to rise early Thursday morning and should be open to fishing prior to the weekend if the rain comes as planned. Minimum flow is 200 cfs at the State Route 299 bridge.

### Eel River (main stem)

As of Tuesday, flows were right around 1,320 cfs at Scotia. The water is low and clear and the fishing remains up and down. The boats still fishing are getting a chance at a few fish per trip. Most of the fish being caught are still bright.

### Van Duzen

The east-to-west running Van Duzen is projected to see enough rain the next couple of days to warrant opening back up to fishing. Flows are projected to hit 580 cfs by Thursday evening. Depending on when the rain hits, it could open Thursday. Minimum flow is 150 cfs at Grizzly Creek.

### Smith River

The Smith rose slightly overnight Monday but will be dropping until the rain begins Wednesday. Flows are projected to

reach 2,750 cfs Thursday morning before they go back down through the weekend. The river will likely remain clear, but the extra flows should bring in some fresh fish as well as put the downers on the move. Even with low and clear conditions, there are fish being caught by the few boats still drifting.

## Southern Oregon rivers

The Chetco reached its highest flows since Jan. 15 on Monday, after the biggest rain since the first week of January, reports Andy Martin of Wild Rivers Fishing. “Although only 2,100 cfs, the river is brown and muddy,” said Martin. “With more rain expected through the middle of the week, the river may not be in shape for drift boaters until Friday. Typically, steelhead fishing is good after a prolonged dry spell. Fishing has been slow the past week because of low flows and the difficult time anglers had getting boats down the river. The rain also is expected to boost fishing on the Elk, Sixes and lower Rogue rivers. Early March generally is good on all three systems if there are good flows. Expect a few early spring salmon to show up in the catch on the Rogue this week.” ●

Read the complete fishing roundup at [www.northcoastjournal.com](http://www.northcoastjournal.com).

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# Calendar March 3 – 10, 2022



Bobby Jo Valentine. Submitted

Enjoy the dulcet offerings of **Bobby Jo Valentine: An Intimate Concert of Hopeful Folk and Pop Music**, Saturday, March 5, from 7:30 to 9 p.m. at **Christ Episcopal Church** in Eureka (\$20). The award-winning singer/songwriter delivers “catchy songs with good tunes and intelligent, thoughtful lyrics in the tradition of Bob Dylan, Cat Stevens and Bruce Hornsby,” according to Tony Award-winning composer Steven Schwartz (Godspell, Pippin). With a name like that, his music’s got to be sweet. Proof of vaccination and masks required. Attendance limited to the first 60 to arrive.



Yokko. Submitted

Don’t miss the avant-garde theatrical dance performance **Butoh Medea** on **Friday and Saturday, March 4 and 5, at 8 p.m.**, and **Sunday, March 6, at 2 p.m.** at **Dell’Arte’s Carlo Theatre** (\$20, \$15 student/senior). This special presentation features Yokko, an actor and interdisciplinary artist from Japan who won Best One-Woman Show for Butoh Medea in 2014 and has toured the globe performing it. Inspired by the Medea myth and Euripides’ tragic play, and using the Japanese Butoh dance, Yokko brings the tortured spirit of Medea to life. Attendees must have proof of complete COVID-19 vaccination (boosters not required) by the date of attendance. Masks must be worn in the facility, theaters and outdoor area. Advance tickets advised. Get them at [www.dellarte.com/product/butoh-medea-v2](http://www.dellarte.com/product/butoh-medea-v2).



Aireene Espiritu. Courtesy of the artist

For the sixth year in a row, the Arcata Playhouse presents its womxn’s festival **Zero to Fierce 2022: Listening Out Loud**, celebrating creative womxn’s work from **Saturday, March 5, to Sunday, March 13** (free and ticketed events, no one turned away). Some of this year’s highlights include: local Black artists Mona Loki (Mo Harper-Desir) and All’Love (Aundrea Stuckey) presenting an original musical performance that includes hip hop, R&B, original spoken word poetry, emceeing and digital sampling; The Madness, a one-womxn punk rock opera devoted to supporting mental health for the “Doom Generation;” a video showing of Joan Schirle’s Bird of the Inner Eye, based on the letters of painter Morris Graves; and “An Evening with Aireene Espiritu” sponsored by Humboldt Asians and Pacific Islanders in Solidarity. Once again, there’ll also be the popular Lunchbox Series and dozens of other creative events and performances. Visit [www.zerotofierce.org](http://www.zerotofierce.org) for a complete list of the festival’s indoor, outdoor and virtual events. Masks are required except when eating. Must show proof of up-to-date vaccination to attend.

**H**eads up, folks: Due to the increase in COVID-19 cases in the area, many events are in flux. Please check our online calendar for event changes and contact information before heading out. We’ll do our best to update the rapidly changing info. At press time, these events are still on. Please remember the county mandatory masking ordinance is in place and mask up for yourself and your neighbors.

## 3 Thursday

### ART

**Food and Drink Exhibition.** Redwood Art Association Gallery, 603 F St., Eureka. This in-gallery membership exhibition features artists’ interpretations of all things related to food and drinks. Multimedia pieces including oil paintings, ceramics, photography, pastels are featured.

**Right to Vote Exhibition.** Redwood Art Association Gallery, 603 F St., Eureka. This exhibition was a challenge from the Redwood Empire Quilting Guild to members asking for creations inspired by the right to vote. Through March 11.

### BOOKS

**Beelzebub’s Tales To His Grandson Radio Hour.** 10-11 p.m. The book will be read in its entirety on Humboldt Hot Air. Free. [rybopp@suddenlink.net](mailto:rybopp@suddenlink.net). [www.HumboldtHotAir.org](http://www.HumboldtHotAir.org). 826-7567.

### LECTURE

**Flying Squirrels and Coastal Martens - Learning about our Less Common Forest Neighbors.** 7 p.m. Virtual World, Online. Celebrate International Wildlife Day with the Natural History Museum of Cal Poly Humboldt lecture presented by Barbara Clucas and Micaela Gunther from the wildlife department where they will reveal special techniques used to study these elusive species. Register online. Free. [www.natmus.humboldt.edu](http://www.natmus.humboldt.edu).

**Sustainable Futures Speaker Series.** 5:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. Alison Bates shares her research on social acceptance of offshore wind energy and evolving conceptualizations of “community” and a “just” energy transition. Via Zoom. Register online. [www.schatzcenter.org/speakers](http://www.schatzcenter.org/speakers).

### MOVIES

**Student Filmmaker’s Showcase.** 7-8:30 p.m. Van Duzer Theatre, Cal Poly Humboldt, Arcata. Films in the showcase will vary from 30 seconds to 20 minutes in length and will include a range of topics, genres, sensibilities and perspectives. Recommended for high school age and older. Free. 826-3624.

### EVENTS

**HCHS Drive By Birthday Party.** Noon-2 p.m. Humboldt County Historical Society, 703 Eighth St., Eureka. HCHS was established on March 3, 1947. Drive by the society’s headquarters, honk and enjoy a cookie. Dave Silverbrand hosts from the front porch.

**Napoleon Dynamite Live Event.** 8 p.m. Sapphire Palace, Blue Lake Casino, 777 Casino Way. Full screening of *Napoleon Dynamite* followed by a moderated discussion with the film’s stars, Jon Heder and Efrén Ramirez. \$30-\$75. [www.bluelakecasino.com](http://www.bluelakecasino.com).

**Online Auction for Safe and Sober Grad Night.** Online auction fundraiser to support a safe grad night celebration for Arcata High School, Six Rivers Charter, and Pacific Coast High School. Includes sports packages, Oregon Shakespeare

packages, a private movie screening, local art and gift certificates. For more information visit [www.arcatahighschool.nohum.org/apps/pages/safeandsober](http://www.arcatahighschool.nohum.org/apps/pages/safeandsober). Free. [ahsSafeandSober2022@gmail.com](mailto:ahsSafeandSober2022@gmail.com). [www.carljohnsonco.hibid.com](http://www.carljohnsonco.hibid.com).

### FOR KIDS

**MARZ Project.** Noon-5 p.m. Virtual World, Online. Humboldt and Del Norte county youth ages 12 to 26 learn to express themselves creatively in visual art, audio and video production. All MARZ students have free access to equipment, software and training. Meets via Zoom by appointment. Free. [marzproject@inkpeople.org](mailto:marzproject@inkpeople.org). 442-8413.

### FOOD

**Pints for Nonprofits - Godwit Days.** 1-9 p.m. The Pub at The Creamery, 824 L St., Suite A, Arcata. Your drink purchase can help fund a festival. One dollar of every draft beer, cider, kombucha or soda (not wine) sold between 1 p.m. and 9 p.m. will support this year’s Godwit Days Spring Migration Bird Festival.

**Volunteer Orientation Food for People.** 3-4 p.m. Help fight hunger and improve nutrition in the community. Visit the website to be invited to a Zoom orientation. Free. [volunteer@foodforpeople.org](mailto:volunteer@foodforpeople.org). [www.foodforpeople.org/volunteering](http://www.foodforpeople.org/volunteering). 445-3166 ext. 310.

### MEETINGS

**Ujima Parent Peer Support.** 6:30-7:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. For BIPOC families. See the HC Black Music and Arts Association Facebook page for more information. [hcbblackmusicarts@gmail.com](mailto:hcbblackmusicarts@gmail.com).

**Virtual Whiteness Accountability Space.** Noon-1 p.m. Virtual World, Online. Community members who identify as white are invited to weekly conversations led by white facilitator from Equity Arcata. Email for the Zoom link. [equityarcata@gmail.com](mailto:equityarcata@gmail.com).

### ETC

**Arcata Chamber of Commerce Online Silent Auction.** 5:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. Online auction to help the chamber support local, small businesses, community initiatives and creative community collaborations. [www.32auctions.com/ArcataChamberAwards22](http://www.32auctions.com/ArcataChamberAwards22).

**English Express: An English Language Class for Adults.** Ongoing. Virtual World, Online. This class offers pronunciation, speaking, reading, writing, vocabulary, verb conjugations and common expressions. All levels welcome. Join anytime. Free. [www.englishexpressemPOWERED.com](http://www.englishexpressemPOWERED.com).

**KEET’s Spring Fundraising Drive.** KEET TV, Channel 13, Humboldt. PBS has many special new programs available for your enjoyment during the drive, including *Concert for George*, a tribute concert for George Harrison, along with some familiar shows that you won’t want to miss. Go to [KEET.org](http://KEET.org) to donate and see the program schedule. You can also donate by calling 497-5050.

**Restorative Movement.** 10:30-11:30 a.m. & 2-3 p.m. Virtual World, Online. SoHum Health presents classes focused on strength and mobility (Tuesday), and on relaxation and breath work (Thursday). Contact instructor Ann Constantino for online orientation. \$3-\$5 donation per class, no one is turned away for lack of funds. [annconstantino@gmail.com](mailto:annconstantino@gmail.com). [www.sohumhealth.org](http://www.sohumhealth.org). 923-3921.

## 4 Friday

### BOOKS

**Friends of the Redwood Libraries Book Sale.** 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Humboldt County Library, 1313 Third St., Eureka. Sale opens for FRL members only on Friday, March 4. Become a member at the door. The public is welcome Saturday, March 5. Browse fiction, non-fiction, children’s books, vinyl, CDs and DVDs. Proceeds benefit the Humboldt County Library system. In the garage of the Eureka Main Library. [www.eurekaflr.org](http://www.eurekaflr.org).

### COMEDY

**Comedy Night.** 8 p.m. Wave Lounge, Blue Lake Casino, 777 Casino Way. Featuring Barry Neal and Sarah J Halstead. Tickets on Eventbrite. \$10. [www.bluelakecasino.com/entertainment/wave](http://www.bluelakecasino.com/entertainment/wave).

### MUSIC

**Eureka Symphony Inspirations: New and Timeless.** 8 p.m. Arkley Center for the Performing Arts, 412 G St., Eureka. The evening begins with “La Conga del Fuego Nuevo” by Mexican composer Arturo Márquez, followed by an original piano concerto by John Chernoff. The concert concludes with the D Minor “Symphony #7” by Antonin Dvorak. Proof of COVID vaccination required. \$19-\$49. [www.eurekasymphony.org](http://www.eurekasymphony.org).

**Shelter n Play.** 6 p.m. Virtual World, Online. Public group on Facebook made up of local musicians and music fans. Live streams, videos, events and local music links. [www.facebook.com/groups/224856781967115](http://www.facebook.com/groups/224856781967115).

### THEATER

**Butoh Medea.** 8 p.m. Dell’Arte’s Carlo Theatre, 131 H St., Blue Lake. Yokko performs a Japanese Butoh dance inspired by the Medea myth and Euripides’ tragedy. Complete COVID-19 vaccination required (boosters not required) by the date of attendance. Masks must be worn in the facility, theaters and outdoor area. \$20, \$15 student/senior. [www.dellarte.com/product/butoh-medea-v2/](http://www.dellarte.com/product/butoh-medea-v2/). 668-5663.

### EVENTS

**Bowl for Kids’ Sake: Saved by the Bowl.** 5:30 p.m. Harbor Lanes, 2136 Broadway, Eureka. Join the fun in person or online and contribute to Big Brothers Big Sisters of the North Coast. [www.facebook.com/events/4235180272](http://www.facebook.com/events/4235180272).

**Online Auction for Safe and Sober Grad Night.** See March 3 listing.

### FOR KIDS

**MARZ Project.** Noon-5 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See March 3 listing.



## GARDEN

**Sea Goat Farm Garden Volunteer Opportunities.** 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Abbey of the Redwoods, 1450 Hiller Road, McKinleyville. Help with animal care, weeding, watering, planting and occasional harvest help on Saturday mornings. Volunteers get free produce. flowerstone333@gmail.com. (530) 205-5882.

## ETC

**Arcata Chamber of Commerce Online Silent Auction.** 5:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See March 3 listing.

**English Express: An English Language Class for Adults.** Ongoing. Virtual World, Online. See March 3 listing.

**KEET's Spring Fundraising Drive.** KEET TV, Channel 13, Humboldt. See March 3 listing.

**March Skate Night.** 6:30-9 p.m. Eureka Municipal Auditorium, 1120 F St. First-come, first-served. Limited to 50 participants. All ages. Check [www.facebook.com/events/3202794056665050](http://www.facebook.com/events/3202794056665050) for COVID guidelines. \$6, \$5 ages 17 and under.

**Tabata.** 5:30-6:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. SoHum Health presents online classes with short, high intensity cardio workouts. Contact instructor Stephanie Finch by email for a link to the class. Free. sfinch40@gmail.com. [www.sohumhealth.com](http://www.sohumhealth.com).

## 5 Saturday

## BOOKS

**Friends of the Redwood Libraries Book Sale.** 10 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Humboldt County Library, 1313 Third St., Eureka. See March 4 listing.

## LECTURE

**AAUW-Humboldt Women's History Month Honorees.** 10-11 a.m. The American Association of University Women - Humboldt will be honoring local residents JoAnn Schuch and Kay Escarda at its celebration of Women's History Month. Email Rosemarie Weaver for the Zoom link. Free. roseweave52@gmail.com. [www.humboldt-ca.aauw.net](http://www.humboldt-ca.aauw.net).

**Humboldt County Historical Society Program.** 2:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. An Insider's Look at 75 Years of the Humboldt County Historical Society with local historian Arlene Hartin. Register online by 5 p.m. March 4. Free. [www.humboldt.gov/library](http://www.humboldt.gov/library).

## MUSIC

**Bobby Jo Valentine: An Intimate Concert of Hopeful Folk and Pop Music.** 7:30-9 p.m. Christ Episcopal Church, 15th and H streets, Eureka. Award-winning singer/songwriter Bobby Jo Valentine performs. Proof of COVID vaccination required, masks required, attendance limited to first 60 to arrive. \$20. christchurcheureka@gmail.com. [www.christchurcheureka.org/concerts/](http://www.christchurcheureka.org/concerts/). 442-1797.

**Eureka Symphony Inspirations: New and Timeless.** 8 p.m. Arkley Center for the Performing Arts, 412 G St., Eureka. See March 4 listing.

## THEATER

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## EVENTS

**Bowl for Kids' Sake: Saved by the Bowl.** 5:30 p.m. Harbor Lanes, 2136 Broadway, Eureka. See March 4 listing.

**Online Auction for Safe and Sober Grad Night.** See March 3 listing.

**Trinidad Flea-Art.** First Saturday of every month, 11 a.m.-3 p.m. Trinidad Town Hall, 409 Trinity St. Fine local art and more. Music by Flynn Martin. Call for info or to become a vendor. Although COVID mandates are being relaxed, the

Health Department recommends that people continue to wear masks indoors, especially if unvaccinated. Please practice social distancing and use sanitizer so all can be safe. 834-8720.

**Zero to Fierce 2022: Listening Out Loud.** 7 a.m.-10 p.m. Arcata Playhouse, 1251 Ninth St. The Arcata Playhouse presents its womxn's festival, which encompasses International Women's Day on March 8 and celebrates creative womxn's work. [www.zerotofierce.org](http://www.zerotofierce.org). 822-1575.

## FOOD

**Arcata Plaza Farmers Market.** 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Arcata Plaza, Ninth and G streets. Humboldt County grown and GMO-free produce along with plants, meats and more. Educational materials including a seasonal eating guide, recipes and merchandise available. Always open rain or shine. Free. info@northcoastgrowersassociation.org. [www.northcoastgrowersassociation.org](http://www.northcoastgrowersassociation.org). 441-9999.

**Sea Goat Farmstand.** 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Abbey of the Redwoods, 1450 Hiller Road, McKinleyville. Fresh veggies grown onsite, fresh sourdough bread from Humboldt Baking Company and farm fresh eggs. Art from local artists as well as goods from a variety of local artisans. flowerstone333@gmail.com. (530) 205-5882.

## GARDEN

**Broom Pull in Sinkyone Wilderness.** 10 a.m.-1 p.m. Sinkyone Wilderness State Park, Briceland Road, Whitethorn. Help remove French broom. Tools and gloves provided. Bring water and a snack if needed and wear sturdy shoes and layers. Meet at the Jones Beach trailhead. Parking is limited and carpooling is recommended. Heavy rain cancels. Free. Michelle.Forys@parks.ca.gov.

**Sea Goat Farm Garden Volunteer Opportunities.** 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Abbey of the Redwoods, 1450 Hiller Road, McKinleyville. See March 4 listing.

## MEETINGS

**Sistahood.** 9:30-11 a.m. Virtual World, Online. For women teenagers and older on Zoom, to build healthy relationships and strengthen ties through validation and affirmation. Music from 9:30 a.m., open conversation from 9:45 a.m., meditation with the Sista Prayer Warriors from 10:45 a.m.

## OUTDOORS

**Bike and Hike Day.** First Saturday of every month. Prairie Creek Redwoods State Park, 127011 Newton B Drury, Orick. Enjoy the parkway through the redwoods the first Saturday of every month through May while it's closed to motor vehicles. Leashed dogs welcome. Free.

**FOAM Marsh Tour w/Elliott Dabill.** 2 p.m. Arcata Marsh and Wildlife Sanctuary, South I Street. Meet leader Dabill in the lobby of the Interpretive Center on South G Street for a 90-minute, rain-or-shine walk focusing on ecology. Masks are required inside the building. Free. 826-2359.

**Guided Walk at Founders Grove with Nature Guide Griff.** 11 a.m.-noon Humboldt Redwoods State Park, 17119 Avenue of Giants, Weott. The Founders Grove loop trail is less than a half-mile long and is ADA accessible. There will be frequent stops to discuss the redwoods, the history of the land and the wildlife. Free. John.griffith@parks.ca.gov. [www.humboltdredwoods.org](http://www.humboltdredwoods.org).

**Stewardship Work Days.** 9 a.m.-noon. Trinidad Coastal Land Trust, 380 Janis Court. Celebrate spring with the Trinidad Coastal Land Trust by helping remove invasive plant species from our coastline and maintain safe and reliable public trails. Email to sign up. March 5: Baker Beach Stairs Repair and Invasive Species Removal. zoe@trinidadcoastallandtrust.org. [www.trinidadcoastallandtrust.org](http://www.trinidadcoastallandtrust.org).

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## NCJ CALENDAR

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### ETC

**Abbey of the Redwoods Flea Market.** First Saturday of every month, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. Grace Good Shepherd Church, 1450 Hiller Road, McKinleyville. Local arts, products, goods. Free entry.

**Arcata Chamber of Commerce Online Silent Auction.** 5:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See March 3 listing.

**English Express: An English Language Class for Adults.** Ongoing. Virtual World, Online. See March 3 listing.

**KEET's Spring Fundraising Drive.** KEET TV, Channel 13, Humboldt. See March 3 listing.

## 6 Sunday

### MOVIES

**The Princess Bride (1987).** 5-8 p.m. Arcata Theatre Lounge, 1036 G St. Pre-show at 5 p.m. Movie at 6 p.m. Rated PG. \$8. info@arcatatheatre.com. www.tickets.vemos.io/-LvzSY-m6udEnGfKIRLa/arcata-theatre-lounge/-MuPZC1e4EOBX-sMsHOil/the-princess-bride-1987. 613-3030.

### THEATER

**Butoh Medea.** 2 p.m. Dell'Arte's Carlo Theatre, 131 H St., Blue Lake. See March 4 listing.

### EVENTS

**Derby Awards Ceremony 2022.** 1 p.m. Mad River Brewing Company & Tap Room, 101 Taylor Way, Blue Lake. Awards and prizes for the winners of the 2022 Mad River Steelhead Derby in the adult and youth categories. Silent auction. Proceeds fund next year's derby. www.madriverbrewing.com.

**Online Auction for Safe and Sober Grad Night.** See March 3 listing.

**Zero to Fierce 2022: Listening Out Loud.** 9:30 a.m.-9 p.m. Arcata Playhouse, 1251 Ninth St. See March 5 listing.

### FOOD

**Arcata Vets Hall Sunday Brunch.** First Sunday of every month, 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Arcata Veterans Hall, 1425 J St. Dine-in (outside, weather permitting) or take-out. Tots and egg scramble, sausage, bacon, pancakes, oatmeal, fruit, vegan options and complimentary juice, tea and Kinetic Koffee. Proceeds benefit local youth programs, veteran programs and the hall. \$2-\$15. LegionPrograms@gmail.com. www.facebook.com/ArcataVetshall. 601-6619.

**Food Not Bombs.** 4 p.m. Arcata Plaza, Ninth and G streets. Free, hot food for everyone. Mostly vegan and organic and always delicious. Free.

**Soroptimist International of Eel River Valley Drive-thru Diner.** River Lodge Conference Center & Commercial Kitchen, 1800 Riverwalk Drive, Fortuna. Box lunch with Italian sandwich, kale and broccoli salad, fruit cup, brownie and lemon cookies (vegetarian and gluten free options offered) for pick-up at the River Lodge Conference Center. Pre-paid reservations must have been made by Feb. 24. \$25. www.fortunariverlodge.com/.

### ETC

**Arcata Chamber of Commerce Online Silent Auction.** 5:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See March 3 listing.

**Clean the Sidewalk Day.** First Sunday of every month, 9-11 a.m. Valley West Park, Hallen Drive, Arcata. Help pick up non-hazardous items left behind in the neighborhood's public spaces. Meet at the entrance of Valley West Park, located on Hallen Drive. There will be a check-in table in place for volunteers to receive instructions and supplies. gmartin@cityofarcata.org. www.cityofarcata.org.

**English Express: An English Language Class for Adults.** Ongoing. Virtual World, Online. See March 3 listing.

**Humboldt Flea Market.** First Sunday of every month, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Arcata Community Center, 321 Dr. Martin Luther King

Jr. Parkway. New location. Masks and safe social distancing required. Browse antiques, collectibles, tools, records, clothes, crafts, pies, jams and more. \$2, free for anyone under the age of 13.

**KEET's Spring Fundraising Drive.** KEET TV, Channel 13, Humboldt. See March 3 listing.

## 7 Monday

### ART

**CraftBoston: Pins + Needles.** Virtual World, Online. Online show of nearly 80 national artists bringing intricate techniques and unexpected materials to wearable art, including pins, brooches, scarves and jewelry. Includes Eureka artists Norman Sherfield and Erin Austin. www.societyofcrafts.org/pins-and-needles/.

**Julia Bradshaw: Photography as Material.** Reese Bullen Gallery, Cal Poly Humboldt, Arcata. Featuring Bradshaw's two photography projects "Stacks and Shapes" and "Survey," shown side by side. The exhibit runs through March 26.

**Sheala Dunlap Art Exhibition.** Redwood Art Association Gallery, 603 F St., Eureka. The artist's nature illustrations, giclee prints, scientific drawings and print-made works are on display until March 11. Donations welcome.

### BOOKS

**Equity Arcata's Community Book Club.** First Monday of every month, 4-6 p.m. Virtual World, Online. Alia Dunphy and Meredith Oram discuss Adrienne Marie Brown's book, *Emergent Strategy: Shaping Change, Changing Worlds*. On Zoom. Register online. www.equityarcata.com.

### LECTURE

**David Cobb on Public Banks.** 7 p.m. Cobb describes how public banks function to keep tax dollars working locally to meet community needs, including climate change mitigation and adaptation measures. Part of the March 350 Humboldt Speakers Series. Get Zoom link at www.actionnetwork.org/events/350-humboldt-presents-david-cobb-on-public-banks/manage. Free. 350Humboldt@gmail.com. www.world350.org/humboldt/. 677-3359.

### EVENTS

**Zero to Fierce 2022: Listening Out Loud.** 10 a.m.-8:30 p.m. Arcata Playhouse, 1251 Ninth St. See March 5 listing.

### FOOD

**Volunteer Orientation Food for People.** 3:30-4:30 p.m. See March 3 listing.

### ETC

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**English Express: An English Language Class for Adults.** Ongoing. Virtual World, Online. See March 3 listing.

**ESL Classes on Zoom.** 10:30 a.m. Virtual World, Online. Led by North Coast Music Together's Jose Quezada and Heather Shelton and developed with Humboldt Literacy Project. Each week's session focuses on a different topic for essential English usage. Themes will be announced in advance on HLP's Facebook page. www.humlib.org.

**KEET's Spring Fundraising Drive.** KEET TV, Channel 13, Humboldt. See March 3 listing.

**Tabata.** 5:30-6:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See March 4 listing.

## 8 Tuesday

### EVENTS

**Zero to Fierce 2022: Listening Out Loud.** 10 a.m.-8:30 p.m. Arcata Playhouse, 1251 Ninth St. See March 5 listing.

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## FOR KIDS

**MARZ Project.** Noon-5 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See March 3 listing.

## MEETINGS

**Humboldt Cribbage Club Tournament.** 6:15-9 p.m. Moose Lodge, 4328 Campton Road, Eureka. Weekly six-game cribbage tournament for experienced players. Inexperienced players may watch, learn and play on the side. Moose dinner available at 5:30 p.m. \$3-\$8. 31for14@gmail.com. 599-4605.

**McKinleyville Community Services District Input Meeting.** 6-7 p.m. Virtual World, Online. Provide your opinion on the potential access point locations and recreation opportunities to be developed for the McKinleyville Community Forest. Via Zoom. Get link online under “Meetings.” www.mckinleyvillecsd.com.

## ETC

**Arcata Chamber of Commerce Online Silent Auction.** 5:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See March 3 listing.

**Disability Peer Advocate Group.** Second Tuesday of every month, 3 p.m. Virtual World, Online. Peer advocates supporting each other and furthering the disability cause. Email for the Zoom link. alissa@tilinet.org.

**English Express: An English Language Class for Adults.** Ongoing. Virtual World, Online. See March 3 listing.

**KEET's Spring Fundraising Drive.** KEET TV, Channel 13, Humboldt. See March 3 listing.

**Restorative Movement.** 10:30-11:30 a.m. & 2-3 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See March 3 listing.

**Women in Construction: Certifications for Women-Owned Small Business.** 3-4 p.m. Learn how you may qualify for certifications that give you a leg up in the government marketplace and increase your chances of winning more contracts. Free. info@norcalptac.org. www.norcalptac.org/events/wic-week-series-session-1-certifications-overview-women-owned-small-businesses. 267-7561.

## 9 Wednesday

## BOOKS

**On the Same Page Book Club.** 5:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. Online book club that meets on the first Wednesday of the month on Zoom. Sign up using the Google form at [www.forms.gle/bAsjdQ7hKGqEgJKj7](http://www.forms.gle/bAsjdQ7hKGqEgJKj7).

## EVENTS

**Walk to End Alzheimer's Volunteer Kickoff.** 5:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. Learn how you can volunteer with the Alzheimer's Association and the opportunities available with the Humboldt County Walk Planning Committee. Sign up for the Zoom meeting at [www.tinyurl.com/2022VolunteerKickoff](http://www.tinyurl.com/2022VolunteerKickoff).

**Zero to Fierce 2022: Listening Out Loud.** 10 a.m.-10 p.m. Arcata Playhouse, 1251 Ninth St. See March 5 listing.

## FOR KIDS

**MARZ Project.** Noon-5 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See March 3 listing.

## GARDEN

**Sea Goat Farm Garden Volunteer Opportunities.** 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Abbey of the Redwoods, 1450 Hiller Road, McKinleyville. See March 4 listing.

## MEETINGS

**Nordic Aquafarms Open Zoom.** 12:30-1:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. This is a causal open Zoom meeting where people can ask questions and discuss the proposed Nordic Aquafarms project. [satkinssalazar@gmail.com](mailto:satkinssalazar@gmail.com). us02web.zoom.us/j/85356158130.

## ETC

**Arcata Chamber of Commerce Online Silent Auction.** 5:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See March 3 listing.

**English Express: An English Language Class for Adults.** Ongoing. Virtual World, Online. See March 3 listing.

**Findings Construction and Public Works Bids.** 3-4 p.m. In this webinar, Norcal PTAC Procurement Specialist, Liz Brazil, explains where to go and how to establish an efficient bid tracking system. Free. info@norcalptac.org. www.norcalptac.org/events/wic-week-series-session-2-how-find-construction-public-works-bid-opportunities. 267-7561.

**KEET's Spring Fundraising Drive.** KEET TV, Channel 13, Humboldt. See March 3 listing.

**Tabata.** 5:30-6:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See March 4 listing.

**Trivia Night.** Every other Wednesday, 6-8 p.m. The Madrone Taphouse, 421 Third St., Eureka. Reel Genius Trivia hosts. Free. [www.reelgeniustrivia.com](http://www.reelgeniustrivia.com).

## 10 Thursday

## ART

**Food and Drink Exhibition.** Redwood Art Association Gallery, 603 F St., Eureka. See March 3 listing.

**Right to Vote Exhibition.** Redwood Art Association Gallery, 603 F St., Eureka. See March 3 listing.

## BOOKS

**Beelzebub's Tales To His Grandson Radio Hour.** 10-11 p.m. See March 3 listing.

## LECTURE

**Asian Women's Voices in Humboldt.** 6-7:30 p.m. Cal Poly Humboldt, 1 Harpst St., Arcata. Join the Women's Resource Center for its first event during Herstory month. This will be an open panel about women's stories and experiences in Nelson Hall East 102 (Goodwin Forum). Free. [hsuwomen@humboldt.edu](mailto:hsuwomen@humboldt.edu).

## EVENTS

**Women-Owned Construction Firm Panel Discussion.** 10-11 a.m. A panel of successful women-owned construction firms will discuss their challenges and tips for success. Moderated by Norcal PTAC's Construction and Public Works Specialist Edward Duarte. Free. info@norcalptac.org. www.norcalptac.org/events/wic-week-series-session-3-panel-women-owned-construction-firms. 267-7561.

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## FOR KIDS

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## FOOD

**Volunteer Orientation Food for People.** 3-4 p.m. See March 3 listing.

## MEETINGS

**Ujima Parent Peer Support.** 6:30-7:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See March 3 listing.

**Virtual Whiteness Accountability Space.** Noon-1 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See March 3 listing.

## ETC

**Arcata Chamber of Commerce Online Silent Auction.** 5:30 p.m. Virtual World, Online. See March 3 listing.

**English Express: An English Language Class for Adults.** Ongoing. Virtual World, Online. See March 3 listing.

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## NCJ NORTH COAST NIGHT LIGHTS



The galactic core anchors the arching Milky Way, as seen from Kneeland, California. Venus' bright body hovers between the core and the horizon, while Mars, just beneath Venus to her right, barely peeks over the ridge top. Photographed at 5:30 a.m., Feb. 11, 2022.

Photo by David Wilson

# Milky Way Season Approaches

By David Wilson

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I remember while camping with my folks as a kid how the Milky Way stretched so prominently across the night sky. It was a special feature of the night I never saw from the bright lights of home but it was always there when we went camping. I assumed it was there every night.

Later in life, I remember looking into the night sky and sometimes not seeing the Milky Way. Its absence was vaguely vexing but I wasn't giving it much thought at the time. Was my mind playing tricks — or my eyes? I didn't know and, for whatever reason, I didn't trouble myself enough to figure it out. It was just an unexplained oddity; sometimes it was there and sometimes it wasn't. In the back of my mind, it was an inconsistency I'd eventually need to solve.

I'm not sure when it came together for me but following the night sky around for a few years has certainly helped me find some patterns and relationships. We see the Milky Way at some times of the year and not others because — as Earth travels around the sun — the night side of the planet faces a slightly different direction into space each day. In summer, Earth's night side faces toward the Milky Way's densest region; half a year later, when Earth is on the opposite side of the sun, the night side faces in the opposite direction.

One of the variables is that the Earth doesn't rotate around its own axis perpendicularly to its orbit around the sun; it is tilted. So, in effect, as Earth orbits the sun, the night side of the planet will face “downward” relative to the orbital plane

at one point in the year and half a year later, when we're on the opposite side of the sun, the night side will face “upward” relative to the orbital plane. (There is no real up or down in space, of course, but we can say that relative to the orbital plane, one view is above it and the other is below it.)

As Earth careens around the sun, the Milky Way swings in and out of our wobbling view from season to season. In February, one can find it in the wee hours before first light as it stretches across the sky from the southwestern horizon to the northern skies, chased by the light of dawn. The accompanying photograph was taken at 5:30 a.m. Feb. 11. But the Milky Way's position will be changing daily, rising earlier each morning until the end of May or early June, when it is rising around 11 p.m. By the end of June, the Milky Way will be visible as soon as it is dark and it will continue to be higher in the sky each night. The summer months are the best for viewing the Milky Way in our hemisphere but as fall descends, so does the Milky Way. For now, unless you're an authentic early bird, the Milky Way is not yet ripe for most of us ... but Milky Way season is coming.

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*To keep abreast of David Wilson's (he/him) photography or purchase a print, visit or contact him at his website [www.mindscapefx.com](http://www.mindscapefx.com) or follow him on Instagram at @david\_wilson\_mfx and on Twitter @davidwilson\_mfx. He teaches Art 35 Digital Photography at College of the Redwoods.*





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## NCJ SCREENS

# CODA's Music

As the Oscar vamp starts

By John J. Bennett

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**CODA.** Although my editor made not-so-veiled threats regarding *The Sky is Everywhere* — order must be maintained, after all — none were required to compel me to watch this, another emotionally charged exploration of teenage identity. Rather, it was the strange pressure of the impending Academy Awards which, as it does almost every year, makes me feel I should watch every Best Picture nominee.

A friend also asked when I would be writing Oscar coverage — his point being *Jackass Forever's* lack of nominations represents a grievous oversight, as it contains, at least for said friend, the most cogent and incisive cultural commentary of the year. I can't speak to that, having not yet watched *Jackass Forever*, but the question/suggestion gave me pause and a moment to consider and reconsider my attitude toward and relationship with the Academy Awards.

While "relationship" may be overblown, implying an exchange of ideas, the short-listing and anointing of meritorious work within the American cinematic community/industry (with a few nods to the rest of the world) has been a part of my cultural consciousness for most of my life. To be fair, I haven't actually watched the ceremony in probably a decade and have at times bristled at it as a self-congratulatory — masturbatory? — popularity contest, where the cool kids borrow astronomically expensive jewelry and try to look more attractive than each other in front of the cameras. While that may be a fair assessment, it also reeks of sour grapes and lashing out; I've got my demons.

Regardless of cultural relevance within the sweep and scope of human history, acknowledging that the Academy Awards get it wrong as often as they don't, I still find myself involuntarily compelled. The movies, after all, are at once the ultimate synthesis and encapsulation of human art and endeavor, and

probably the most accessible, egalitarian artform we've ever had. Not everybody looks at the movies as "cinema" but everybody watches movies. And maybe as the plague recedes, we will all start going back. (Excepting the Midwest, where I suspect they never stopped.) Add to this our societal fascination with the notion of celebrity, our held-breath expectation that we are all a happy accident from vast wealth and prominence, and it makes sense that the Academy Awards matter to us (read: me), even if we (read: I) would rather they didn't.

And so there remains the compulsion to participate, at least in gauging what the Best Picture nominees say about the year that was. In recent years, as the field has broadened and the Academy itself, in a surprisingly self-aware moment, has dramatically increased the size and inclusiveness of its numbers, Best Picture has become a fascinating planted flag for an organization and an industry attempting to assert itself as a standard-bearer of progress.

This year, I've made strong headway through the list, thanks in no small part to the more conservative (read: profit-oriented) wing of said industry relenting a little in the face of the pandemic and allowing us access to stream prestige movies. I'll have to return to *West Side Story*, despite my mortification at the musical form; I do have tremendous respect and admiration for the work of Steven Spielberg and Tony Kushner, after all. And *Drive My Car* continues to elude; alas.

**CODA** (Child of Deaf Adults but also a pun) was the big winner at the Sundance Film Festival two years ago (!), just before the world closed up shop. In contemporary Gloucester, Massachusetts, Ruby Rossi (Emilia Jones) faces the typical struggles of a high school senior. Additionally, she is the sole interpreter for her family: dad Frank (Troy Kotsur), mom Jackie (Marlee Matlin) and brother





Gen X-ers who grew up during the Cold War watching right wingers cheer Russia.  
CODA

Leo (Daniel Durant), all of whom are deaf. She also works as a deckhand on the family fishing boat, endures the taunts of heartless classmates and struggles with her schoolwork. In the midst of all this, kinda-sorta chasing a cute boy, she signs up for the school choir and discovers she is a gifted singer. As her instructor (Eugenio Derbez) implores her to apply to the Berklee School of Music (with his help), her family sets out to start their own business, needing Ruby's help more than ever.

Adapted from the French *La Famille Belier* by writer/director Sian Heder, *CODA* is a self-assured, formalistically constructed Capra-style family/social drama that I am frankly surprised exists. It's a hair's breadth from maudlin, barely skirts Disneyfication by showcasing a talented singer/actor in Jones, and yet is somehow compelling and genuine. Am I surprised this is a Best Picture nominee? Yes and no — as much as some of us cling to darkness for solace, we must acknowledge that stories of hope and togetherness, however sentimental and well-worn, can be a great comfort. PG13. 111M. APPLE TV+. ●

*John J. Bennett (he/him) is a movie nerd who loves a good car chase.*

## NOW PLAYING

**THE BATMAN.** No bright green suit filled with purple question marks for this villain. A darker, more sinister version of the Riddler heads to the big screen in this new adaptation of the Dark Knight. Starring Robert Pattinson, Zoë Kravitz and Paul Dano. PG13. 176M. BROADWAY, FORTUNA, MILL CREEK, MINOR.

### DEATH ON THE NILE. PG13. 127M.

Kenneth Branagh and his mega-stache return as Hercule Poirot in the ensemble Agatha Christie mystery remake. Starring Gal Gadot and Annette Bening. BROADWAY, FORTUNA, MILL CREEK, MINOR.

**DOG.** Channing Tatum stars in a buddy-/road-trip movie with a Belgian Malinois. Woof. PG13. 90M. BROADWAY, FORTUNA, MILL CREEK.

**JACKASS FOREVER.** It's all fun and games until somebody in this aging crew breaks a hip. R. 96M. BROADWAY.

**LICORICE PIZZA.** Writer/Director Paul Thomas Anderson's tale of coming of age and first love in 1970s California. Starring Alana Haim and Cooper Hoffman. R. 133M. MINOR.

**SING 2.** The animated animal musical returns with the voices of Matthew McConaughey and Reese Witherspoon. PG. 112M. BROADWAY.

**SPIDER-MAN: NO WAY HOME.** See what happens when you take your mask off? Starring Tom Holland and Zendaya. PG13. 148M. BROADWAY, MILL CREEK.

**STUDIO 666.** The Foo Fighters move into a mansion crawling with supernatural entities hoping to find the creative flow for their 10th studio album. R. 110M. BROADWAY.

**UNCHARTED.** Treasure-hunting adventure with Tom Holland, Sophia Ali and Marky Mark, whom I only acknowledge in his Funky Bunch form. PG13. 116M. BROADWAY, FORTUNA, MILL CREEK, MINOR.

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2/17, 2/24, 3/3 (22-082)

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2/17, 2/24, 3/3 (22-071)

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CASE NO. PR2200034**

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of BETTY JOYCE BENNETT, BETTY J. BENNETT, AND BETTY BENNETT A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Petitioner RICHARD J. BENNETT in the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt. The petition for probate requests that RICHARD J. BENNETT be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent. THE PETITION requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by court. THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held on March 10, 2022 at 1:31 p.m. at the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, in Dept.: 6, Room: 6

For information on how to appear remotely for your hearing, please visit <https://www.humboldt.courts.ca.gov/>

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objec-

**NOTICE INVITING BIDS**

**1. Bid Submission.** The City of Fortuna ("City") will accept electronically submitted bids for its Annual Percolation Ponds Rehabilitation Project 2022 ("Project"), by or before March 25, 2022, at 2:00 p.m., via email in the manner set forth in Section 1 of the Instructions to Bidders, at which time the bids will be opened and the results posted on the City's website at: [https://www.friendlyfortuna.com/your\\_government/public\\_works\\_notices.php](https://www.friendlyfortuna.com/your_government/public_works_notices.php).

**2. Project Information.**

**2.1 Location and Description.** The Project is located at the City of Fortuna Tom Cooke Memorial Wastewater Treatment Plant (180 Dinsmore Drive, Fortuna).

Project is primarily the rehabilitation of two percolation ponds including bottom and sloped walls, to restore the functionality of the ponds.

Remove all material below the substrate in both ponds free from any effluent solids or river silt visible at this level, whichever is deeper (approximately 24" -36" and estimated at 1,500 to 2,100 yds3, contractor is responsible to verify).

Both ponds shall be brought back to a finished depth of 18 feet. Lightly scrape the sides of each pond to remove loose material and remove the riprap at each outfall of the ponds. Store the riprap onsite for replacement to properly dissipate the outfall flow. Repair pond walls with river run, or reuse of bond material from the bottom if acceptable to match existing slopes. Material will be disposed of onsite approximately 300 yards from the construction site (final location determined by City Engineer, General Services Superintendent or Chief Treatment Plant Operator). Maximum size of dump trucks shall be 10 yard capacity to prevent damage to existing road.

Prior to replacement of material, the bottom of the ponds shall be "ripped" with four (4) foot ripper bars. Replace material removed from the pond bottoms with ¾ washed rock (approx. 2000 tons) and reposition two pump boxes (one at the NE corner of the south pond, and the other at the southeast corner of the north pond), at finished grade level (at direction of WWTP staff). Additional riprap ¼ ton (material provided by City onsite) is available if needed when replacing each outfall slope location. Compaction of the pond sides and raking of the pond bottoms, with the bottom of each pond sloped (approx. 1-3%) toward the pump boxes, will be required prior to project finalization.

Contractor shall assist City staff with the removal and re-installation of staff gauges (if necessary) in each pond (2). The location will be determined by City WWTP Staff. Contractor shall remove all access ramps into ponds prior to completion.

**2.2 Time for Completion.** The Project must be completed by May 14, 2022. City anticipates that the Work will begin on or about April 18, 2022, but the anticipated start date is provided solely for convenience and is neither certain nor binding.

**3. License and Registration Requirements.**

**3.1 License.** This Project requires a valid California contractor's license for the following classification(s): General Class A.

**3.2 DIR Registration.** City may not accept a Bid Proposal from or enter into Contract with a bidder, without proof that the bidder is registered with the California Department of Industrial Relations ("DIR") to perform public work pursuant to Labor Code § 1725.5, subject to limited legal exceptions.

**4. Contract Documents.** The bid forms and contract documents for the Project, and any addenda thereto ("Contract Documents") may be downloaded from City's website located at: [https://www.friendlyfortuna.com/your\\_government/public\\_works\\_notices.php](https://www.friendlyfortuna.com/your_government/public_works_notices.php).

**5. Bid Security.** The Bid Proposal must be accompanied by bid security of ten percent of the maximum bid amount, in the form of a cashier's or certified check made payable to City, or a bid bond executed by a surety licensed to do business in the State of California on the Bid Bond form included with the Contract Documents. The bid security must guarantee that within ten days after City issues the Notice of Potential Award, the successful bidder will execute the Contract and submit the payment and performance bonds as specified in the Contract Documents, insurance certificates and endorsements, and any other submittals required by the Contract Documents and as specified in the Notice of Potential Award.

**6. Prevailing Wage Requirements.**

**6.1 General.** Pursuant to California Labor Code § 1720 et seq., this Project is subject to the prevailing wage requirements applicable to the locality in which the Work is to be performed for each craft, classification or type of worker needed to perform the Work, including employer payments for health and welfare, pension, vacation, apprenticeship and similar purposes.

**6.2 Rates.** These prevailing rates are on file with the City and are available online at <http://www.dir.ca.gov/DLSR>. Each Contractor and Subcontractor must pay no less than the specified rates to all workers employed to work on the Project. The schedule of per diem wages is based upon a working day of eight hours. The rate for holiday and overtime work must be at least time and one-half.

**6.3 Compliance.** The Contract will be subject to compliance monitoring and enforcement by the DIR, under Labor Code § 1771.4.

**7. Substitution of Securities.** Substitution of appropriate securities in lieu of retention amounts from progress payments is permitted under Public Contract Code § 22300.

**8. Subcontractor List.** Each Subcontractor must be registered with the DIR to perform work on public projects. Each bidder must submit a completed Subcontractor List form with its Bid Proposal, including the name, location of the place of business, California contractor license number, DIR registration number, and percentage of the Work to be performed (based on the base bid price) for each Subcontractor that will perform Work or service or fabricate or install Work for the prime contractor in excess of one-half of 1% of the bid price, using the Subcontractor List form included with the Contract Documents.

**9. Instructions to Bidders.** All bidders should carefully review the Instructions to Bidders for more detailed information before submitting a Bid Proposal. The definitions provided in Article 1 of the General Conditions apply to all of the Contract Documents, as defined therein, including this Notice Inviting Bids.

**12. Bidders' Conference.** A bidders' conference will be held on March 10, 2022 at 1:30 p.m., at the following location: 180 Dinsmore Drive, Fortuna CA, 95540 to acquaint all prospective bidders with the Contract Documents and the Worksites. The bidders' conference is not mandatory.

**13. Estimated Cost.** The estimated construction cost is \$90,000.

By: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Siana Emmons, City Clerk Publication Date: February 28, 2022



tions or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER: Daniel E. Cooper  
611 I Street, Suite A  
Eureka, CA 95501  
(707) 443-8011  
Filed: February 9, 2022  
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

2/17, 2/24, 3/3 (22-075)

NOTICE OF PETITION TO  
ADMINISTER ESTATE OF  
DAVID L. MOGNI  
CASE NO. PR2200033

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of DAVID L. MOGNI  
A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Petitioner BARBARA J. MOGNI

In the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt. The petition for probate requests that BARBARA J. MOGNI be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.  
THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.)  
The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be

held on March 10, 2022 at 1:31 p.m. at the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, in Dept.: 6, Room: 6

For information on how to appear remotely for your hearing, please visit <https://www.humboldt.courts.ca.gov/>

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

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ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER: Daniel E. Cooper  
611 I Street, Suite A  
Eureka, CA 95501  
(707) 443-8011  
Filed: February 9, 2022  
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

2/17, 2/24, 3/3 (22-076)

NOTICE OF PETITION TO  
ADMINISTER ESTATE OF  
GARY ALLEN KNIGHT  
CASE NO. PR2200049

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate, or both, of GARY ALLEN KNIGHT  
A PETITION FOR PROBATE has been filed by Petitioner MICHELLE METAXAS  
In the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt. The petition for probate requests that MICHELLE METAXAS be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.  
THE PETITION requests the decedent's will and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by court.  
THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of

Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.)  
The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held on March 17, 2022 at 1:31 p.m. at the Superior Court of California, County of Humboldt, 825 Fifth Street, Eureka, in Dept.: 6, Room: 6

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IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the decedent, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within the later of either (1) four months from the date of first issuance of letters to a general personal representative, as defined in section 58(b) of the California Probate Code, or (2) 60 days from the date of mailing or personal delivery to you of a notice under section 9052 of the California Probate Code. Other California statutes and legal authority may affect your rights as a creditor. You may want to consult with an attorney knowledgeable in California law.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a Request for Special Notice (form DE-154) of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in Probate Code section 1250. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

ATTORNEY FOR PETITIONER: Jocelyn M. Godinho, Esq.  
Law Office of Hjerpe & Godinho, LLP  
350 E Street  
1st Floor  
Eureka, CA 95501  
(707) 442-7262  
Filed: February 18, 2022  
SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA  
COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT

2/24, 3/3, 3/10 (22-097)

PUBLIC SALE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned intends to sell the personal property described below to enforce a lien imposed on said

property pursuant to Sections 21700-21716 of the Business & Professions Code, Section 2328 of the UCC, Section 535 of the Penal Code and provisions of the civil Code.

The undersigned will sell at auction by competitive bidding on the 16th of March, 2022, at 9:00 AM, on the premises where said property has been stored and which are located at Rainbow Self Storage.

The following spaces are located at 4055 Broadway Eureka, CA, County of Humboldt.

David Widmark, Space # 5294  
Samantha Delaney, Space # 5442

The following spaces are located at 639 W. Clark Street Eureka, CA, County of Humboldt and will be sold immediately following the sale of the above units.

Dixie Rogers, Space # 3114

The following spaces are located at 3618 Jacobs Avenue Eureka, CA, County of Humboldt and will be sold immediately following the sale of the above units.

Elise Jones, Space # 1120  
Isabel Reynoza, Space # 1169  
Cascade Gayman, Space # 1393  
Carlos Nunes, Space # 1682  
Mark Pete, Space # 1723

The following spaces are located at 105 Indianola Avenue Eureka, CA, County of Humboldt and will be sold immediately following the sale of the above units.

Christina Arnold, Space # 121  
Joylyn Heiser, Space # 160  
Suzanne Stenecker-Dieckman, Space # 206  
Marco Ramirez, Space # 384  
Gary Wright, Space # 424  
Kia Biddle, Space # 467  
Stuart Sutherland, Space # 506  
David Vaughan, Space # 809

Items to be sold include, but are not limited to:  
Household furniture, office equipment, household appliances, exercise equipment, TVs, VCR, microwave, bikes, books, misc. tools, misc. camping equipment, misc. stereo equip. misc. yard tools, misc. sports equipment, misc. kids toys, misc. fishing gear, misc. computer components, and misc. boxes and bags contents unknown.

Anyone interested in attending Rainbow Self Storage auctions must pre-qualify. For details call 707-443-1451.  
Purchases must be paid for at the time of the sale in cash only. All pre-qualified Bidders must sign in at 4055 Broadway Eureka CA. prior to 9:00 A.M. on the day of the auction, no exceptions. All purchased items are sold as is, where is and must be removed at time of sale. Sale is subject to cancellation for any reason whatsoever.

Auctioneer: Kim Santsche, Employee for Rainbow Self-Storage, 707-443-1451, Bond # 40083246.

3/3, 3/10 (22-101)

Public Sale

NOTICE IS HERBY GIVEN that the undersigned intends to sell the personal property described below to enforce a lien imposed on said property pursuant to Sections 21700-21716 of the Business & Professions Code, Section 2328 of UCC, Sections 535 of the Penal Code and provisions of the civil Code.

The undersigned will sell at auction by competitive bidding on Friday the 11th of March 2022, at 12:00 pm, on the premises where the said property has been stored and which is located at South Bay Mini-Storage 2031 Eich Road Eureka, CA, County of Humboldt.

Javier Ruiz Keyes, space # 5  
Amber Strawn, space # 8  
Jesse Herlyck, space # 10  
Sebastien Hopper, space # 12  
Lucas Stream-Dutra, space # 169  
Pa Cheng, space # 227  
Jonathan W Briesemaster, space # 236  
Kevin Wallace, space # 325  
Brian Simpson, space # 329  
Kimberly Sovereign, space # 335  
Jose H Carmona, space # 448  
Suntalena K Downs space # 853  
Jeffrie Harris, space # 856

Items to be sold include, but are not limited to:  
Household furniture, car parts, TV, sporting goods, camping gear, workout equipment, misc. tools, holiday decorations, clothing, misc. boxes, and bags of contents unknown.

Anyone interested in attending South Bay Mini-Storage auctions must register at South Bay Mini-Storage 2031 Eich Road Eureka, CA 95503 the day of the sale before 12pm, no exceptions. Purchases must be paid for at the time of the sale in cash only. We require a \$100 deposit on all units bought. All items are sold as is, where is and must be removed at the time of the sale. Sale is subject to cancellation for any reason whatsoever.

Auctioneer: Michael Lawrence, Employee of South Bay Mini-Storage, 707-442-4631, Bond # 65434675.  
Dated this 3rd day of March 2022, and 10th day of March 2022.

3/3, 3/10 (22-102)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT 22-00069

The following person is doing Business as  
**HUMBOLDT LAND COMPANY  
REAL ESTATE**  
Humboldt  
39060 Hwy 299  
Willow Creek, CA 95573

PO Box 1598

Willow Creek, CA 95573

**Tangie L Markle  
871 Dennis Blvd  
Burnt Ranch, CA 95527**

The business is conducted by an Individual.  
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable.  
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.  
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s Tangie Markle, Broker/Owner  
This January 24, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

2/17, 2/24, 3/3, 3/10 (22-087)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT 22-00070

The following person is doing Business as  
**THE FENIX FOUNDATION INC**  
Humboldt  
39060 State Hwy 299  
Willow Creek, CA 95573

PO Box 696  
Willow Creek, CA 95573

**The Fenix Foundation Inc  
CA C4813387  
39060 State Hwy 299  
Willow Creek, CA 95573**

The business is conducted by a Corporation.  
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable.  
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.  
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s Tangie Markle, President  
This January 24, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

2/17, 2/24, 3/3, 3/10 (22-086)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT 22-00076

The following person is doing Business as  
**LULUX BOUTIQUE**  
Humboldt  
3300 Broadway Street  
Eureka, CA 95501

**Odis G Bravo  
6555 Highway 36  
Carlotta, CA 95528**

The business is conducted by an Individual.  
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the ficti-



tious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s Odalis Bravo  
This January 26, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by tn, Humboldt County Clerk  
2/24, 3/3, 3/10, 3/17 (22-092)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00082**  
The following person is doing Business as  
**MEIN VISUAL DESIGNS**  
Humboldt  
3501 Church St  
Fortuna, CA 95540

**Ruben J Mein**  
**3501 Church St**  
**Fortuna, CA 95540**

The business is conducted by an Individual. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on June 30, 2021. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s Ruben Mein, Owner  
This January 27, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk  
2/17, 2/24, 3/3, 3/10 (22-073)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00089**  
The following person is doing Business as  
**MIDNIGHT MUNCHIES/HUMBOWLS/THE TERIYAKI BOWL**

Humboldt  
100 Ericson Ct  
Arcata, CA 95521  
  
200 7th St Apt 16  
Arcata, CA 95521

**Bryan J Duarte**  
**200 7th St Apt 16**  
**Arcata, CA 95521**

The business is conducted by an Individual. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a

misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s Bryan Duarte, Owner  
This January 28, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by tn, Humboldt County Clerk  
2/10, 2/17, 2/24, 3/3 (22-066)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00090**  
The following person is doing Business as  
**BLOOM TIDE FLOWERS**

Humboldt  
1755 Woody Road  
McKinleyville, CA 95519  
  
The business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on January 31, 2022. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s Alicia M Cox, Manager  
This January 31, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by tn, Humboldt County Clerk  
2/24, 3/3, 3/10, 3/17 (22-095)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00097**  
The following person is doing Business as  
**EUREKA RADIATION ONCOLOGY CONSULTANTS**  
Humboldt  
2700 Dolbeer St  
Eureka, CA 95501

PO Box 368  
Blue Lake, CA 95525

**Michael W. Harmon, MD, Inc.**  
**CA C1812032**  
**247 Nicolos Dr**  
**Arcata, CA 95521**

**Join Y. Luh, Inc.**  
**CA C3021573**  
**1161 Diamond Dr**  
**Arcata, CA 95521**

**Dusten M. Macdonald, MD, Inc.**  
**CA C3917843**  
**158 Apple Valley Ln**  
**Eureka, CA 95503**

The business is conducted by a General Partnership. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the regis-

trant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s Join Y. Luh, Partner  
This February 1, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk  
2/10, 2/17, 2/24, 3/3 (22-067)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00093**  
The following person is doing Business as  
**THE BROKEN SURFBOARD**  
Humboldt  
3863 Redwood Dr  
Phillipsville, CA 95559

PO Box 285  
Redway, CA 95560

**Sheryl A Bybee**  
**3863 Redwood Dr**  
**Phillipsville, CA 95559**

The business is conducted by an Individual. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s Sheryl Bybee, Owner  
This January 31, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk  
2/10, 2/17, 2/24, 3/3 (22-065)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00099**  
The following person is doing Business as  
**THE INN AT 2ND AND C**  
Humboldt  
139 2nd Street  
Eureka, CA 95501

**The Eagle House LLC**  
**CA 201610010040**  
**139 2nd Street**  
**Eureka, CA 95501**

The business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on February 16, 2017. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s Tammy S Rex, Member  
This February 3, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by tn, Humboldt County Clerk  
2/17, 2/24, 3/3, 3/10 (22-077)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00116**  
The following person is doing Business as  
**COMMUNITY REFERRALS**  
Humboldt  
2850 E Street  
Eureka, CA 95501

**Brian Dunlap**  
**3500 Hadley Place**  
**Arcata, CA 95521**

**Joyce M West**  
**130 Barscape Lane**  
**Eureka, CA 95503**

The business is conducted by a General Partnership. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s Brian Dunlap, Broker/Owner  
This February 7, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by tn, Humboldt County Clerk  
2/24, 3/3, 3/10, 3/17 (22-089)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00108**  
The following person is doing Business as  
**HUMBOLDT BUNNIES**  
Humboldt  
3212 Q Street  
Eureka, CA 95503

PO Box 7336  
Eureka, CA 95502

**Shaylyn R Heitzman**  
**3212 Q Street**  
**Eureka, CA 95503**


The business is conducted by an Individual. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s Shaylyn Heitzman, Sole Proprietor  
This February 4, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk  
2/17, 2/24, 3/3, 3/10 (22-072)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00111**  
The following person is doing Business as  
**PALE MOON BREWING COMPANY**  
  
Humboldt  
600 F Street  
Arcata, CA 95521

1765 Roberts Way  
Arcata, CA 95521

**Jeffrey M Finn**  
**1765 Roberts Way**  
**Arcata, CA 95521**

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/s Jeffrey Finn, Owner  
This February 7, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by kt, Humboldt County Clerk  
2/17, 2/24, 3/3, 3/10 (22-070)



## United Indian Health Services, Inc.

### IMMEDIATE RELEASE

United Indian Health Services is seeking interested Indian Community Members in serving as potential Candidates to be members of the UIHS Board of Directors. Potential Candidates must reside in and around the UIHS Service area within one of the following areas:

**Area 1:** Del Norte County – An Alternate for remaining three year term (June 2024)

**Area 2:** Orick, Trinidad, McKinleyville, and Blue Lake – An Alternate for remaining two year term (June 2023)

**Area 3:** Arcata, Eureka, Table Bluff, and all points south (within Humboldt County) – A Primary and Alternate for three year term (June 2024)

**Area 4:** Hoopa and Willow Creek – An Alternate for remaining two year term (June 2023)

**Area 5:** Weitchpec, Johnson’s and Orleans – A Primary and Alternate for remaining three year term (June 2024)

All interested Indian Community Members may request a Declaration of Candidacy packet at [www.uihs.org](http://www.uihs.org), at any UIHS Clinic, or by calling 707.825.4136 or 707.825.5063. The Declaration of Candidacy forms must be submitted no later than April 9, 2022 to: UIHS Election Committee, P.O. Box 4238, Arcata, CA 95518.





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**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT 22-00096**

The following person is doing Business as  
**RANES PROPERTY MANAGEMENT**  
Humboldt  
42119 Hwy 299  
Willow Creek, CA 95573

PO Box 431  
Willow Creek, CA 95573

**Cody R Ranes**  
**35850 Hwy 299**  
**Willow Creek, CA 95573**

The business is conducted by an Individual.  
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on August 4, 2021.  
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.  
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s Cody Ranes, Owner  
This February 1, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

2/17, 2/24, 3/3, 3/10 (22-080)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT 22-00115**

The following person is doing Business as  
**AJ MANAGEMENT**  
Humboldt  
1718 Fieldbrook Rd  
McKinleyville, CA 95519

**Auriah J Milanes**  
**1718 Fieldbrook Rd**  
**McKinleyville, CA 95519**

The business is conducted by an Individual.  
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable.  
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.  
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s Auriah Milanes, Owner  
This February 7, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by kt, Humboldt County Clerk

2/10, 2/17, 2/24, 3/3 (22-069)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT 22-00118**

The following person is doing Business as  
**FERNBRIDGE CAFE & COFFEE BARN**

Humboldt  
623 Fernbridge Drive  
Fortuna, CA 95540

**Kimberlynn M Wright**

**1565 Jones Street**  
**Fortuna, CA 95540**

The business is conducted by an Individual.  
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable.  
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.  
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s Kimberlynn Marie Wright, Owner  
This February 8, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

2/24, 3/3, 3/10, 3/17 (22-088)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT 22-00119**

The following person is doing Business as  
**HUMBOLDT STREET ART COLLECTIVE**  
Humboldt  
854 Perrott Ave  
Loleta, CA 95551

PO Box 209  
Loleta, CA 95551

**Humboldt Skatepark Collective**  
**CA C2359463**  
**2437 E Cochran Rd**  
**McKinleyville, CA 95519**

The business is conducted by a Cooperation.  
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable.  
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.  
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/s Charles E, President  
This February 8, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

2/24, 3/3, 3/10, 3/17 (22-094)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT 22-00121**

The following person is doing Business as  
**STUDIO M HUMBOLDT**  
Humboldt  
1240 McMahan St Apt B  
Arcata, CA 95521

600 F St #3/806  
Arcata, CA 95521

**Megan M Maier**  
**1240 McMahan St Apt B**  
**Arcata, CA 95521**

The business is conducted by an Individual.  
The date registrant commenced to

transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on January 7, 2022.  
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.  
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s Megan Maier, Owner  
This February 9, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by tn, Humboldt County Clerk

3/3, 3/10, 3/17, 3/24 (22-104)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT 22-00128**

The following person is doing Business as  
**PAWS & WET NOSES PET CARE**  
Humboldt  
2805 H St  
Eureka, CA 95501

**Lindsey J Larson-Guillen**  
**2805 H St**  
**Eureka, CA 95501**

The business is conducted by an Individual.  
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/s Lindsey Larsen-Guillen, Owner  
This February 14, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

2/24, 3/3, 3/10, 3/17 (22-093)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT 22-00141**

The following person is doing Business as  
**STITCH**  
Humboldt  
385 Main Street  
Ferndale, CA 95536

PO Box 294  
Ferndale, CA 95536

**Kelly R Hampton**  
**2670 Forest Knoll Lane**  
**Eureka, CA 95503**

The business is conducted by an Individual.  
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable.  
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.  
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine

not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s Kelly R Hampton, Owner  
This February 16, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by tn, Humboldt County Clerk

2/24, 3/3, 3/10, 3/17 (22-090)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT 22-00145**

The following person is doing Business as  
**MET CAM**  
Humboldt  
108 Hope Lane  
Fortuna, CA 95540

**Cameron G Reed**  
**108 Hope Lane**  
**Fortuna, CA 95540**

The business is conducted by an Individual.  
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on February 16, 2022.  
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.  
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s Cameron Reed, Owner/Operator  
This February 17, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by tn, Humboldt County Clerk

2/24, 3/3, 3/10, 3/17 (22-091)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT 22-00155**

The following person is doing Business as  
**PRIMROSE HAIR STUDIO**  
Humboldt  
509 J St Suite 8  
Eureka, CA 95501

**Cassandra E Funk**  
**1647 Chester Ave**  
**Arcata, CA 95521**

The business is conducted by an Individual.  
The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable.  
I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct.  
A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s Cassandra Funk, Owner  
This February 22, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by kt, Humboldt County Clerk

3/3, 3/10, 3/17, 3/24 (22-100)

**FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME  
STATEMENT 22-00149**

The following person is doing Business as  
**NEXT LEVEL GAMES**  
Humboldt



417 2nd Street #204  
Eureka, CA 95501

**Next Level Games LLC**  
CA 202129510391  
417 2nd Street  
Eureka, CA 95501

The business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s/ Julian Herman, Managing Member  
This February 17, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by kt, Humboldt County Clerk

2/24, 3/3, 3/10, 3/17 (22-098)

#### FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00152

The following person is doing Business as  
**LIGHTHOUSE CONSTRUCTION LLC**

Humboldt  
3845 G St  
Eureka, CA 95503

**Lighthouse Construction LLC**  
CA 202004110899  
3845 G St  
Eureka, CA 95503

The business is conducted by a Limited Liability Company. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on February 17, 2022. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to

Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).  
/s/ Aaron Gustavson, Managing Member  
This February 18, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by tn, Humboldt County Clerk

2/24, 3/3, 3/10, 3/17 (22-099)

#### FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT 22-00130

The following person is doing Business as  
**NICARAGUAN FOOD**  
Humboldt  
625 W. Wabash Ave  
Eureka, CA 95501

115 G St #3  
Arcata, CA 95521

**Wilhem A Romero**  
115 G St #3  
Arcata, CA 95521

**Alba L Lopez**  
115 G St #3  
Arcata, CA 95521

The business is conducted by a General Partnership. The date registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or name listed above on Not Applicable. I declare that all information in this statement is true and correct. A registrant who declares as true any material matter pursuant to Section 17913 of the Business and Professions Code that the registrant knows to be false is guilty of a misdemeanor punishable by a fine not to exceed one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

/s/ Wilhem A Romero, Partner Owner  
This February 14, 2022  
KELLY E. SANDERS  
by sc, Humboldt County Clerk

2/17, 2/24, 3/3, 3/10 (22-084)

#### ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER: CV2200168 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT 825 FIFTH ST. EUREKA, CA. 95501

PETITION OF:  
ALICIA ROSE SHERRIN  
for a decree changing names as follows:

Present name  
ALICIA ROSE SHERRIN  
to Proposed Name  
LAUNA ROSE WYRD  
THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to

show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

NOTICE OF HEARING  
Date: March 25, 2022  
Time: 1:45 p.m., Dept. 4  
For information on how to appear remotely for your hearing, please visit <https://www.humboldt.courts.ca.gov/>  
Date: February 2, 2022  
Filed: February 2, 2022  
/s/ Kelly L. Neel  
Judge of the Superior Court

2/17, 2/24, 3/3, 3/10 (22-081)

#### ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE FOR CHANGE OF NAME CASE NUMBER: CV2200191 SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF HUMBOLDT 825 FIFTH ST. EUREKA, CA. 95501

PETITION OF:  
TAMARA SMITH DENNIS  
for a decree changing names as

follows:

Present name  
TAMARA SMITH DENNIS  
to Proposed Name  
TAMARA SMITH DOUGLASS  
THE COURT ORDERS that all persons interested in this matter appear before this court at the hearing indicated below to show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted. Any person objecting to the name changes described above must file a written objection that includes the reasons for the objection at least two court days before the matter is scheduled to be heard and must appear at the hearing to

show cause why the petition should not be granted. If no written objection is timely filed, the court may grant the petition without a hearing.

NOTICE OF HEARING  
Date: March 25, 2022  
Time: 1:45 p.m., Dept. 4  
For information on how to appear remotely for your hearing, please visit <https://www.humboldt.courts.ca.gov/>  
Date: February 4, 2022  
Filed: February 7, 2022  
/s/ Kelly L. Neel  
Judge of the Superior Court

2/17, 2/24, 3/3, 3/10 (22-078)



#### HOOPA VALLEY PUBLIC UTILITIES DISTRICT

The Hoopa Valley Public Utilities District will be accepting bid for its Agency and Sootish Tank Projects. The scope of work includes the installation of two 100,000-gallon water tanks, approximately 5,800 feet of water line, associated appurtenances, and electrical controls as well as electrical lines. The engineer's estimate of construction is \$1,115,000.

A mandatory prebid meeting is scheduled for March 2, 2022.

Bids are to be submitted by March 11, 2022, at 3:00 pm when a public sealed bid opening will be held.

Bidder documents are available from the Humboldt Builder's Exchange or Hoopa Valley PUD's District Engineer at [lostcoastengineering@gmail.com](mailto:lostcoastengineering@gmail.com) (707-880-0757).

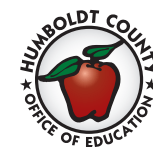
#### THE BLUE LAKE CITY COUNCIL IS ANNOUNCING A COUNCIL VACANCY.

In compliance with Government Code Section 36512 (b), the City Council will be accepting qualification statements and applications for appointment consideration at the next regularly scheduled **Council Meeting on March 22nd, 2022.**

Applicants must be 18 years of age, and be a resident of, and a registered voter in, the City of Blue Lake

Applications can be obtained at City Hall, or downloaded from the City's website at [www.bluelake.ca.gov](http://www.bluelake.ca.gov).

**Applications are due to City Hall by 12 noon on March 16th, 2022.**  
Please contact City Hall at 707-668-5655 for more information.



#### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Humboldt County Office of Education will receive bids on a cooperative paper contract for various public agencies in Humboldt County, potentially including but not limited to the cities of Eureka, Fortuna, Arcata and Rio Dell, College of the Redwoods, Humboldt County Office of Education, and various school districts.

Bid packages listing specifications may be obtained from Hana Hanawalt in the Business Services Office at the Humboldt County Office of Education, 901 Myrtle Avenue, Eureka, CA 95501. Bid forms are also available for download at <https://hcoe.org/bids>, under the 2022-2023

#### Paper Bids section.

Bids shall be filed in said Office of Education on or before 4:00 p.m. Friday, March 25, 2022 and will be publicly opened and read aloud at that time. The Bid analysis and initial awards may be posted on the HCOE Bids website (<https://hcoe.org/bids>) the week of March 28, 2022. It is anticipated that the awards will be approved at the April 20, 2022 Board of Education meeting.

The Humboldt County Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to waive any irregularities or informalities in the bids or in the bidding process, and to be the sole judge of the merit and suitability of the merchandise offered.

No bidder may withdraw his or her bid for a period of thirty (30) days after the date set for the opening of bids.

HUMBOLDT COUNTY OFFICE OF EDUCATION

By: Michael Davies-Hughes, Superintendent of Schools

DATED: February 24, 2022

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LX AWD  
93,983 miles  
#280810



**\$21,995**

2019 Chevrolet  
Cruze  
22,757 miles  
#606632



**\$21,995**

2019 Toyota  
Corolla LE  
43,863 miles  
#223693



**\$22,995**

2018 Nissan  
Altima S  
#106927



**\$23,995**

2019 Volkswagen  
Jetta SE  
31,198 miles  
#134432



**\$26,995**

2018 Honda  
Accord LX  
30,424 miles  
#069222



**\$28,995**

2018 Audi A6  
2.0 Premium  
45,040 miles  
#063346



**\$29,995**

2016 GMC Sierra  
1500 4WD SLE  
115,178 miles  
#154081



**\$29,995**

2020 Hyundai  
Santa Fe SEL  
27,968 miles  
#216018



**\$29,995**

2018 Subaru  
Outback Limited  
48,679 miles  
#275752



**\$30,995**

2017 RAM  
1500 4WD  
63,346 miles  
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2016 Ford  
F-150 XL  
85,000 miles  
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2017 Mazda  
MX-5 Miata RF  
23,140 miles  
#105551



**\$33,995**

2015 Jeep Wrangler  
4WD Rubicon  
23,757 miles  
#544451



**\$34,995**

2018 Jeep Grand  
Cherokee Altitude 4WD  
45,233 miles  
#138099



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2013 Chevrolet Silverado  
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ACROSS

1. Restraint technique in mixed martial arts

7. Boeing 747s, e.g.

11. First K-pop group to have a #1 Billboard hit

14. Member of the herring family

15. Hip to, as the latest news

16. NBA coach Tyronn \_\_\_\_\_, who won a championship with the Cleveland Cavaliers in 2016

17. Tracks down

18. "I \_\_\_\_\_ little silhouetto \_\_\_\_\_" ("Bohemian Rhapody" lyric)

19. Scrap of food

20. Best Picture of 1954

22. Org. with an annual Codebreaker Challenge

23. "De-e-elish!"

25. Become depleted

26. In 1964, he received

52. electoral votes in comparison to LBJ's 486

31. Bit recorded on a Fitbit

32. Have a home-cooked meal

34. Ref. work that added "livestream" in 2021

37. Suffix with glycer-

38. Declaration when sensing one's amniotic fluid has leaked ... or a statement when solving four answers in this puzzle

41. Org. with the slogan "Every child. One voice"

43. Inits. on toothpaste tubes

44. Voters' topic

45. One who's able to rattle off digits of pi, perhaps

47. D.C. hotel that once used Richard

Nixon's speeches as its telephone hold music

52. Where a Persian might get a manicure?

55. Some offensive NFL players, briefly

57. Dallas NBA player, for short

58. Accounting firm that has handled Oscar balloting since 1935

63. Get an \_\_\_\_\_ (ace)

64. Zip

65. Not as fine

66. Lyon king

67. "\_\_\_\_\_ plaisir!"

68. Kathleen and Tina

69. Tour de France units: Abbr.

70. Run for, as office

71. Knights' mounts

2. \_\_\_\_\_ thermometer

3. \*big kiss\*

4. Quick snack

5. Some

6. Express again

7. Response to "Is anyone else here?"

8. Olympic poker?

9. "\_\_\_\_\_ is human ..."

10. Not just a glitch

11. Familial bond

12. Flush

13. Do an old printing house job

14. Word after sing or string

21. Drs.' co-workers

24. \_\_\_\_\_ Reader (magazine with the slogan "Cure ignorance")

27. Susan of old TV's "The Partridge Family"

28. Trumpet or guitar effect

29. Slightly

30. Steals from

33. "\_\_\_\_\_ a Putty Tat" (Friz Freleng short)

35. Source of the words "spunk" and "trousers"

36. Like Eeyore

38. Some people like them dirty

39. Quinceañera, e.g.

40. Order for a big party, maybe

41. Pirates' home

42. Where something's always brewing?

46. Award since WWI

48. Go on the offensive

49. Entertained

50. Stunning weapons

51. Brooklyn's Medgar \_\_\_\_\_ College

53. Baseball's Alejandro, Carlos and Tony

54. Catch \_\_\_\_\_ (surf)

56. Religious offshoots

59. "Zip-\_\_\_\_-Doo-Dah"

60. 38-0, e.g.

61. Fabled loser to a tortoise

62. Author Sarah \_\_\_\_\_ Jewett

DOWN

1. Pete who was 2019's N.L. Rookie of the Year

LAST WEEK'S ANSWERS TO WANDA

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NCJ ASTROLOGY

Free Will Astrology

Week of March 3, 2022

By Rob Brezsný  
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**ARIES (March 21-April 19):** "I not only bow to the inevitable," wrote Aries author Thornton Wilder. "I am fortified by it." Wow. That was a brazen declaration. Did he sincerely mean it? He declared that he grew stronger through surrender, that he derived energy by willingly giving in to the epic trends of his destiny. I don't think that's always true for everyone. But I suspect it will be a useful perspective for you in the coming weeks, Aries.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20):** Vive la différence! Hooray for how we are not alike! I am all in favor of cultural diversity, neurodiversity, spiritual diversity, and physical diversity. Are you? The coming weeks will be an excellent time to celebrate the bounties and blessings that come your way because of the holy gift of endless variety. The immediate future will also be a perfect phase to be extra appreciative that your companions and allies are not the same as you. I encourage you to tell them why you love how different they are. Now here's poet Anna Akhmatova to weave it together: "I breathe the moonlight, and you breathe the sunlight, but we live together in the same love."

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20):** Gemini singer-songwriter Bob Dylan said, "I think of a hero as someone who understands the degree of responsibility that comes with his freedom." I think that will be a key theme for you in the coming weeks. Dylan described the type of hero I hope you aspire to be. Be alert! You are on the cusp of an invigorating liberation. To ensure you proceed with maximum grace, take on the increased responsibility that justifies and fortifies your additional freedom.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22):** "I'd rather be seduced than comforted," wrote author Judith Rossner. What about you, Cancerian? Do you prefer being enticed, invited, drawn out of your shell, and led into interesting temptation? Or are you more inclined to thrive when you're nurtured, soothed, supported, and encouraged to relax and cultivate peace? I'm not saying one is better than the other, but I urge you to favor the first in the coming weeks: being enticed, invited, drawn out of your shell, and led into interesting temptation.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22):** A woman from Cornwall, UK, named Karen Harris was adopted as a little girl. At age 18, she began trying to track down her biological parents. Thirty-four years later, she was finally reunited with her father. The turning point: He appeared on the "Suggested Friends" feature on her Facebook page. I propose we make Karen Harris your inspirational role model. Now is a favorable time to find what you lost a while ago; to re-link with a good resource that disappeared from your life; to reclaim a connection that could be meaningful to you again.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22):** Buddhist teacher Chögyam Trungpa told us, "Meditation is not a matter of trying to achieve ecstasy, spiritual bliss, or tranquility." Instead, he said that meditation is how we "expose and undo our neurotic games, our self-deceptions, our hidden fears and hopes." Excuse me, Mr. Trungpa, but I don't allow anyone, not even a holy guy like you, to dictate what meditation is and isn't. Many other spiritual mentors I've enjoyed learning from say that meditation can also be a discipline to achieve ecstasy, spiritual bliss, and tranquility. And I suspect that's what Virgo meditators should emphasize in the coming weeks. You people are in a phase when you can cultivate extraordinary encounters with that all fun stuff. If you're not a meditator, now would be a good time to try it out. I recommend the books *Meditation for Beginners* by Jack Kornfield and *How to Meditate* by Pema Chödrön.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22):** Comedian Fred Allen observed, "It is probably not love that makes the world go around, but rather those mutually supportive alliances through which partners recognize their dependence on each other for the achievement of shared and private goals." That's an unromantic thing to

say, isn't it? Or maybe it isn't. Maybe it's very romantic, even enchanting, to exult in how our allies help us make our dreams come true—and how we help them make their dreams come true. In my astrological opinion, the coming weeks will be an excellent time to focus on the synergies and symbioses that empower you.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 23-Nov. 21):** "It's never too late to have a happy childhood!" declare many self-help gurus. "It's never too early to start channeling the wise elder who is already forming within you," declare I. Oddly enough, both of these guiding principles will be useful for you to meditate on during the coming weeks. According to my analysis of the astrological omens, you're in an unusually good position to resurrect childlike wonder and curiosity. You're also poised to draw stellar advice from the Future You who has learned many secrets that the Current You doesn't know yet. Bonus: Your Inner Child and your Inner Elder could collaborate to create a marvelous breakthrough or two.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 22-Dec. 21):** "A myriad of modest delights constitute happiness," wrote poet Charles Baudelaire. That will be a reliable formula for you in the coming weeks, Sagittarius. You may not harvest any glorious outbreaks of bliss, but you will be regularly visited by small enchantments, generous details, and useful tweaks. I hope you won't miss or ignore some of these nurturing blessings because you're fixated on the hope of making big leaps. Be grateful for modest delights.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19):** I found out some fun facts about renowned Capricorn poet Robert Duncan (1919–1988), who was a bohemian socialist and trailblazing gay activist. He was adopted by Theosophical parents who chose him because of his astrological make-up. They interpreted Robert's dreams when he was a child. Later in life, he had an affair with actor Robert De Niro's father, also named Robert, who was a famous abstract expressionist painter. Anyway, Capricorn, this is the kind of quirky and fascinating information I hope you'll be on the lookout for. It's time to seek high entertainment as you expedite your learning; to change your fate for the better as you gather interesting clues; to be voraciously curious as you attract stimulating influences that inspire you to be innovative.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18):** "I always strive, when I can, to spread sweetness and light," said P. G. Wodehouse. "There have been several complaints about it." I know what he means. During my own crusade to express crafty, discerning forms of optimism, I have enraged many people. They don't like to be reminded that thousands of things go right every day. They would rather stew in their disgruntlement and cynicism, delusionally imagining that a dire perspective is the most intelligent and realistic stance. If you're one of those types, Aquarius, I have bad news for you: The coming weeks will bring you invitations and opportunities to cultivate a more positive outlook. I don't mean that you should ignore problems or stop trying to fix what needs correction. Simply notice everything that's working well and providing you with what you need. For inspiration, read my essay: [tinyurl.com/HighestGlory](https://tinyurl.com/HighestGlory).

**PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20):** Pastor and activist Charles Henry Parkhurst (1842–1933) said, "All great discoveries are made by people whose feelings run ahead of their thinking." The approach worked well for him. In 1892, he discovered and exposed monumental corruption in the New York City government. His actions led to significant reforms of the local police and political organizations. In my astrological opinion, you should incorporate his view as you craft the next chapter of your life story. You may not yet have been able to fully conceive of your future prospects and labors of love, but your feelings can lead you to them. ●

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**Northcoast Children's Services**

**ACCOUNTING FISCAL SPECIALIST, Arcata**

Duties include assisting w/ fiscal & general ledger analysis; assist w/ prep for annual audits & federal/state monitoring. Assist w/payroll & accounts payable. Req. 3 year's business related exp. Bachelor's degree in Business Administration or Finance/Accounting preferred, but not required. F/T 40 hrs./wk. \$20.52-\$21.55/hr. **First Review Date: 03.04.2022**

**CENTER DIRECTORS, Arcata**

Overall management of Head Start & Partnership programs. AA/BA in Child Development or related field preferred. Must meet req. for Site Supervisor permit. 3 Infant Toddler units req. F/T 40 hrs./wk. M-Fri. \$20.00-\$22.05/hr. **Open Until Filled.**

**CENTER DIRECTORS, Eureka, McKinleyville**

Overall management of a Head Start center base program. Must meet Teacher Level on Child Development Permit Matrix, plus 3 units in Administration (AA req. BA/BS Degree in Child Development or a related field preferred). Req. a min. of 2 yrs. exp. working w/ preschool children in a group setting. F/T 40 hrs./wk. Mon-Fri (8am-4:30pm); \$20.00-\$22.05/hr. **Open Until Filled.**

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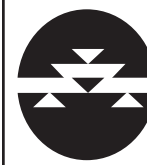
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**K'ima:w Medical Center**

*an entity of the Hoopa Valley Tribe, is seeking applicants for the following positions:*

**GRANT WRITER & PUBLIC COMMUNICATIONS – FT/REGULAR (\$29.00-36.00 PER HOUR DOE)**

Build and maintain a tracking system for grants applicable to K'ima:w Medical Center. Monitor grant announcements and apply for grants. Perform professional level work in compiling grant-related datasets and interpreting and applying grant funding announcement guidelines. Build a system of tracking demographic and other data components for use in future grant opportunities. Develop, draft, and edit written communications for KMC to all segments of the public. **DEADLINE TO APPLY IS MARCH 15, 2022.**

**DIRECTOR OF NURSES DON – FT/REGULAR (\$95,000-125,000 DOE)**

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**LAB TECHNOLOGIST – FT/REGULAR**

**CERTIFIED DATA ENTRY CODER TECHNICIAN – FT/REGULAR**

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### Weaverville Location

Front Desk Receptionist

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## REDWOOD COAST Energy Authority

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### Power Resources Specialist

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**Next review date for both positions is March 25.**

Job descriptions and application instructions are available at [redwoodenergy.org/employment/](http://redwoodenergy.org/employment/)

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For job descriptions & employment applications, contact the Human Resource Department, Hoopa Valley Tribe, P.O. Box 218, Hoopa, CA 95546. Call (530) 625-9200 Ext. 23 or email [l.offins@hoopainsurance.com](mailto:l.offins@hoopainsurance.com) or [hr2@hoopainsurance.com](mailto:hr2@hoopainsurance.com). The Tribe's Alcohol & Drug Policy and TERO Ordinance Apply.

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## Northcoast Children's Services

### TEAM TEACHER, Arcata, Fortuna

Responsible for the development & implementation of classroom activities for toddler age children. Must have 12 core in ECE/CD (with 3 units in Infant/Toddler Development or Curriculum), meet Associate Teacher level on Child Development Permit Matrix, and have 1-yr. exp. teaching in a toddler setting. F/T 37.5 hrs./wk. M-F. \$17.75-\$18.64/hr. **Open Until Filled.**

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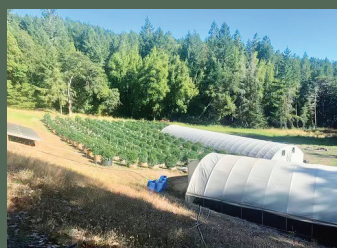
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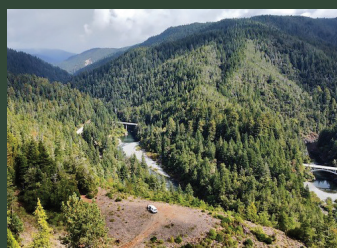
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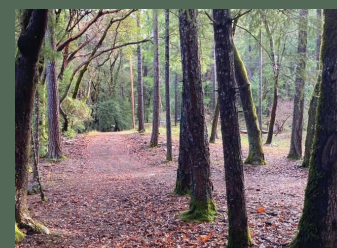
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